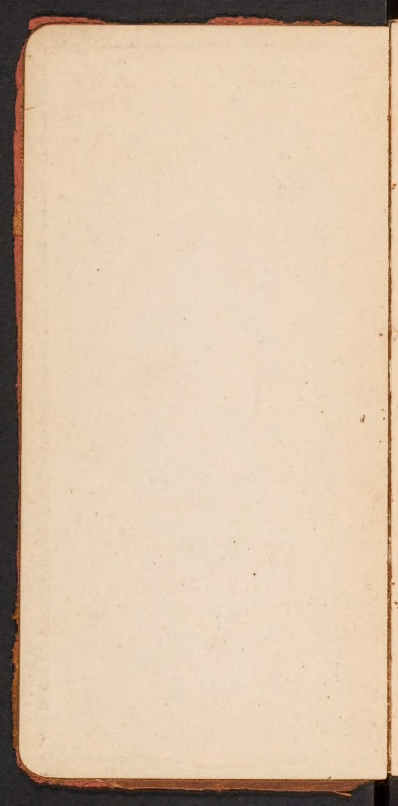


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Cloudy, light snow fall, clearing in
P.M. & evening, mild. 17, 29

Another new year and a
larger diary to avoid crowding.

This morning I got out
and mailed the Shakespeare
notices for January 12.

Went to the Goodales and
lunched at 1 P.M. with
Dr. & Mrs. G. L. Goodale
Prof. & Mrs. Lord of Hanover,
N.H. Shelburne friends -
Interesting discussions on the war.
I dined at 6 P.M. at the
Williamses with

Emile & Mrs. Williams
Margaret Wheeler & her cousin
a Lad son of Wilfred Whelan
B. L. Robinson, R. C. Wace
and H. W. Child. Then to
the Bot. Club. Interesting
talk by Roland Thaxter on
his trip to Grenada, Tobago,
and Trinidad - Vegetable &
animal & insect life well brought out.

Ther

SAT. JAN. 2, 1915

Wea

Cloudy & some sun, cool. 22, 35

I have been quite busy all day at home, mainly writing letters to Christmas friends. Both both M. & myself I have written 25 letters and leave many more yet.

Lucy called this noon. She seems pretty well during the day as a rule, but it is at night that her trouble comes on, though not every night. The cause is mysterious. Dr. Taylor thinks there is too much blood pressure. She is being treated for that now.

Mrs. E. H. Terry is in Cambridge at 43 Irving St. Mrs. Terry wrote me to that effect. I have talked with her over the phone and she will dine with us tomorrow. I shall go down for her —

Clear, calm, cool. 23. 31

This Am. I was busy again writing letters. Before noon I walked to 43 Irving St. and met Mrs. Terry. She is a very interesting woman, and our meeting was most cordial. We walked to the Ly. & took the car there. The dinner and P.M. passed delightfully. She brought the book of painted flowers by her mother in 1817 when she was engaged to E.D. Hitchcock. Eloquent words. I showed her my herb. & a number of my treasures - I took her home as we came by 6 P.M. She said it had been a red-letter day.

This evening Mr. & I took the cars and called on the Matthews. All in. We had a cordial reception & good talk. Profuse thanks for a water-color of the Scarlet Tanager left at our house today, as a greeting & companion to the Grosbeak. Home by 10.

Ther

MON. JAN. 4, 1915

Wea

Clear calm, bracing. 16, 31

Busy this Am. at home
as usual. Many Xmas letters
still to write -

At noon walked to Haver Sq.
Saw a Starling in an elm on
The Thorpe's place, over the sidewalk
some 30 ft up. He sat regardless
of passing autos. I saw Mrs.
Edw. S. Drown (118 3rd St.) on the
sidewalk with her bird glasses. She
has seen Starlings here where this one
was for 3 or 4 days, once 4 or 5 together.
I found in Haver Sq. and
Boston. Left Mother's Tanager
& Ruby-Trench to be framed.

Lunched with E. L. Rand.
Relinquished home & worked on
sects. etc.

Muttall Club this even'g
L. M. Woodward gave us a very
interesting talk with superb
slides on "A Safe South Tourist
in Wyoming" - much yellowstone
Park. Comm. to wife retained it

Ther

TUES. JAN. 5, 1915

Wea

Clear, calm, tracing. 23, 42
Busy this Aft. over bills
etc.

Met J. Lunched at the Good-
aler with Dr. H. M. Goodale
and Mrs. Terry at 12.45.

We had a very bright time.

Then I went to Dr. Briggs
and to Mr. Safford to leave
a package, and then to
The Arena on invitation of
Geo. H. Brown. Met George
& took him in. There was a
wonderful exhibit of skating
by Mr. H. M. who
teach skating to the club.
Brown says that they are
the finest skaters in the
world.

This evening M. & I called
at the Watsons and saw Tom
Walton & Esther Pickering, Mrs. Whet.
Esther P. is visiting from Jamaica.
Then we called at the Howes
& saw Lois, and Mrs. Sack.

Cloudy, a little rain, max. 36° ; 49°

At home morning and afternoon busy as usual.

This evening, I took M. to the Bot. Soc. Nat. Hist. where we heard Prof. Edw. S. Morse talk on memories of Agassiz & other naturalists. It was a charming piece of reminiscence - Dr. Edw. S. Bigelow told some amusing stories - Then Prof. Palache talked on local minerals and gave pleasing acct. of experiences in our region. After the meeting there was the usual informal reception in the library. J. R. & Mrs. Church, it came on my invitation. But I had a short talk with Prof. Morse - Number present about 120 -

20
 Ice rain before daylight.
 Day clear, calm, hot. 81°
 This morning I walked
 down to Irving St and took
 Mrs. Terry to the Gray Herb
 stopper, at Harv Sq. for errands.
 I got at Collins a photo. which
 I had had recommended of him
 Eliza F. Higgins, sent me by
 Mrs. Harriet L. Thayer of Milford.
 Photo taken a year or two before
 her death. Photo broken in the mail.
 We stood at the Hk till
 4:45 seeing everything & every-
 body. Then we walked home
 and Fernald came to lunch
 at 1.30. Pleasant talk.
 Fernald left after lunch.
 Later I took Mrs. Terry home.
 He was much pleased with
 our visit & enthusiastic.
 Then called on Mr. Spaldin
 Sparks St. Long talk. Calendars.
 In evening read aloud
 to Mr. from the Outlook.

Ther

FRI. JAN. 8, 1915

Wea

Clear, calm, cool. 44° , 62

I have been at home morning and afternoon working mainly on Shakespeare matter, annual report, cat for Jan. 26 &c.

This evening, I read Macbeth till 8.45. May began to see Mantell in this to-morrow evening.

Later I called for Mr. & Mrs. Willson's and saw Prof. Willson's. He showed me a lilac which was a very faint star at the time. I told me to look at it this last thing this evening while I did. It had recovered much of its brightness. This variable is very wonderful. Two bodies of different degrees of brightness revolve about each other. When the 8 eclipses the other, the effect is very marked. Picked out new constellations this evening.

Clear, calm, cold - 29, 36

Yesterday I dropped my spectacles on the floor here, and this AM I went in to see Dr. Payne. He examined my eyes and pronounced them in perfect condition & prescribed new glasses to replace the broken ones. I took the prescription to W. C. Adams. Then to Bromfield St. got Matthews' camera framed, left Rhodora at Holzer's home.

Bury at home in P.M.

May Dexter & I went to Louis' to dinner and sat talking for an hour there. Then to the Majestic to see Mantell in Macbeth. We enjoyed the performance extremely. He is a large man with a clear powerful voice sometimes perhaps too excessive. He showed the weak character, pushed on by this ambitious wife. The support was quite good.

Ther

SUN. JAN. 10, 1915

Wea

Clear, calm, bracing. 23° & 36

This morning George & I went down to the Chor. R. marsh. Bare & frozen.

Found on w. border a tree of *Populus* ~~canadensis~~ with leaves underneath.

Tree 10-15 ft tall. Foliy stems & leaves.

On n.w. border ^{on w. side} was abundance of *Xanthium echinatum* ^{on w. side} ~~hurdock~~ fr. stems.

~~Some evolution in yellow asters, 27 1912.~~
We saw several birds:

Sparrow Hawk 1 or 2 flying over marsh.

Crow. about 12.

Blue Jay 1 calling

Red-headed Woodpecker ad.* on trees

& brood of Gamb. Cuck. living at fruit
of close under him. Long view.

Flicker 2 or 3.

Song Sparrow. 20 or more in weeds
n. end.

Mr. Albert Rantall died here
later Mr. & Mrs. Hawkins called.

This evening Mr. & I went down
to 43 Irving St. and made a fare-
well call on Mrs. Terry who goes on
Tues. She told us largely the story
of her life. Most interesting.

Ther

MON. JAN. 11, 1915

Wea

Cloudy calm, cool. 24, 36.

This morning I worked at various things -

This afternoon I went to Carrie Hayes' funeral at home at 3 o'clock. Her sister May was lying up since unconscious from a 2^d stroke of paralysis. It was very, very sad. The house was very full.

This evening I read Romeo & Juliet to M. We are going to see the English actors at the Italian Opera House, Wednesday P.M.

Helen Faber, now in London, sends me at intervals "Land & Water" War Series a paper full of information. One came to-day - It looks like a long drawn out affair now. The future is quite beyond calculation.

Driving rain all day. 34, 41

I have been at home to-day, working over Local Flora cards for our next paper.

I dined at 6.45 with Lucy and May. Then May & I drove down to the Phillips Brothers house where Mr. Lance entertained us at the Annual Meeting of the Shakespeare Club. The weather has been fierce all day and we were fortunate in leaving 18 members present, besides 6 guests. The old board of officers was re-elected. I start now on my 33^d year of Secretaryship!!

Prof. Winter read most acceptably Oscar Wilde's "The Importance of being Earnest". He brought out the humor well. Home by 11.

Driving sun & storm last night
and this A.M. coasting in P.M.
troubles until last night.

It was a fierce storm and
the papers record much damage.

This A.M. I made out the
Shakespeare records and
got out the notices for next
meeting. 1/2 of Athello.

This P.M. I took Mr & Mrs.
Helfield to the Boston Opera
House to see The Henry Fenett
Players in Romeo & Juliet.

It was a most fascinating
bit of acting by young local
players all parts being
extremely good. Grace Ralph
in Romeo & Viva Berkett as
Juliet were fascinating.

The large stage & fine
scenery added much to the
effect. The balcony scene
was delicious.

Evening at home on
my various things.

Ther THURS. JAN. 14, 1915 Wea

Clear calm cool 22, 34
Ground white with snow
Worked in the Herb.

This morning -

We had Lucy, Mary,
Mary & George to lunch,
7 of us. It took a
good deal of the afternoon
Mr. Rautoul came to
dinner and he took
me to the Symphony
Concert. It was ex-
tremely good. Bee-
thoven, Haydn and
Schumann were the
composers represented,
and Anton Wittek
1st violinist was soloist.
He played in Beethoven's
Concerto in D major
and it was marvellous.

I have straightened
out Arabi's to-day in part.
One section must go to
the Gray Herbarium

Ther

FRI. JAN. 15, 1915

Wea

locks are full of moisture &
some fine rain, wind. 32, 39.

This morning I took
to the Gray Herk. some plants
for Miss Anderson to mount,
and a section of Cenabis from
my lab. to examine. The Keys
are quite inadequate. Fernald
helped me with satisfactory.
I walked with W. L. Robinson.

This afternoon I have
been busy in my herbarium.

I also wrote Rebecca Steine
to acknowledge "Rhode Island
Imprints - 1727-1800" com-
piled by her a most ex-
haustive work. Wrote also
John S. Lawrence to acknowledge
a bound memoir of his father
Amory A. Lawrence, my
classmate.

This evening I read
aloud to me the sketch of
Amory Lawrence. It is a record
of a worthy, busy life -

Ther

SAT. JAN. 16, 1915

Wea

Cloud & sun, mild, wet.

This morning I went to
Boston (Holzer re Journals
cover & cards, & R. H. or a little
& Dr. T.). Errands in Harv Sq.
Haircut & 2 photos to be
framed at Ollsain's. Walked
home. Lunch.

This P.M. K. & I
I worked at Club. Heard
on Local Flora heard.
Hannuwell, St. John & Seymour
were there. I may finish
cards in Club this week.
Called on Dr. Robinson on
way home to return Key.
Pleasant talk.

Good letter to-day from
Dr. C. Linder - Lander & 2
Switz. Well & busy -

This evening I was
engaged in my barbarium
mainly -

Cloudy & damp, mild, rain. 33, 43

I have been at home all day and have completed the revision of the genus Cirabris. It is a bit of work done and would that my whole herbarium were entirely revised.

I have read to me to long war articles, by Hillaire Belloc and Anne Roseve Thayer in the Sunday Herald. They are both able and instructive.

Writing letters takes time - I always have plenty of that work.

Wrote this evening to R. Deane, B. L. Robinson, Mrs. Susan Sheppard, Pres. H. M. Lowell, A. F. Hill (re card for Local Flora), Mrs. C. M. Lane, Mr. R. McDonald (re Tenet Players, Fort. Green Hall)

Rain, rain, windy, warm, 40.60.

An unusual winter day.

Herb. work this afternoon.
 Grace Williams and her friend
 Mrs. H.O. Hoffmann ^(Jamaica Plain) whom she is visiting,
 called this afternoon. We had a very
 bright time. I showed my herb. &c.

At noon I walked to Haver
 St. and then went to Boston
 by R.R. - Business & lunch with
 him. Then I went to the Public
 Library & saw some splendid
 illuminated photos on glass of
 celestial objects taken at the
 Lowell Observatory, Arizona.
 Saturn, Jupiter, Moon, Halley's
 Comet. One of Jupiter's satellites
 is 2500 m. in diam.

To Dr. Briggs at 4.30. Home
 This evening Council
 meeting at MITTALL Club.
 Also talk by Peters on
 Camping trip in Arizona.

Ther TUES. JAN. 19, 1915 Wea
Cloudy, calm, mild. 50°, 60°

This morning I worked
in my barbarians. About
noon Mr. & I went to Boston
and got tickets to Castle
Square Theatre. The play
was "Common Clay", by
Claves Hinkhead, special student
at Harvard. The play is con-
sidered the finest production
from The College and is cer-
tainly quite remarkable.

John Craig & Mary Young,
his wife, are the leading charac-
ters - We enjoyed it very much.

On the way home, we
stopped at Fannie Chapman
who is getting over a very bad
cold. She is much better.

This evening Mr. Matthews
called and we had a
good time with our
pianola. He is a very
skillful player and has
a thorough knowledge
of how to play it.

Ther

WED. JAN. 20, 1915

Wea

Cloudy cool, very clear, 35.42

This morning I spent at the Gray & Celuk Herbaria working on our Local Flora. I had of course a pleasant time, and I walked back with B.H.R.

This afternoon I spent in the herbarium also on Local Flora work.

This evening I went to 3004 Soc. Nat. Hist. and met A. Wil. & Mollie Davis in the car & went & returned with them. Will Davis gave a splendid illustrated talk on "Evidence for Darwin's Theory of Coral Reefs." He showed us after the lecture a moving illustration of the Subsidence Theory of Darwin. Social entertainment followed. I returned home shortly after ten. The Sickle & Regulus well up.

Ther THURS. JAN. 21, 1915 Wea

Clear, calm, cold. 31, 38.

This morning I spent in my barbarium going over and stamping a box of mounted sheets. Shelburne mainly.

We had a 1.30 lunch for Will & Molly Davis. Mr. & Mrs. Patur were prevented this Am. by being cold. Mr. Robt. Wells came and Joe Rogers happened in shortly before lunch & stayed. He has a bright time and it was 4 before all had gone.

Then I went in to the cinema and met Miss Brown about 5 P.M. and saw some beautiful skating by a number of people. Mr. & Mrs. Müller, a set of 8 in a quadrille and

I got home by 6.30 and must admit to being tired.

Went to bed early feeling very poorly.

Ther

FRI. JAN. 22, 1915

Wea

Clear and cloudy. 22, 29

This is written Sat. AM.

I had a very bad attack of indigestion throughout Thursday night and had a very uncomfortable time of it.

I was quite exhausted in the morning and was in bed in the early P.M. and evening.

I lay on the sofa. This is very unusual with me.

Dr. Houghton was communicated with twice. Miss Brown did everything for me.

It proves to my regret the Jewett Players in Merry Wives which I have been looking forward to all the week. J.R.C. & wife and M. & J. M. has invited Mrs. E.F. Williams to go with her.

A good letter from T.V. Roe contained an uncanceled set of Chilean stamps as high as one dollar in value -

Ther

SAT. JAN. 23, 1915

Wea

Sun, & light & rain. mild - 20, 54.
Wind & calm this A.M.

I passed a very good night and have been in my study to-day, either in my arm chair or at my table, quietly doing a little reading & writing. I am getting over my attack very well.

M. invited Mrs. Williams to go to "Merry Wives" on my ticket and M. returned from the play about 6 P.M. with glowing accounts of it. Mrs. W. & she enjoyed it immensely. M. thinks the Churchills enjoyed it, too, though not as enthusiastically.

Geo. called this P.M. The rest of the family have called on the Telephone and Mr. & W. Bailey from which a 7.7 L. from Charleston, S.C.

Cloudy, chilly. Bar, 34

I was disappointed at having a bad night, getting practically no sleep till near morning. This exhausts me very much. I have been in my study all day, mostly in my armchair, a little at my desk. My digestive organs are all out of order, I can't see what I can do, have played such a trick on me. May I be much better tomorrow.

I shall miss Pres. John Lowell's reception tomorrow evening (9-12). I hope for the Shakespeare (evening). In 10 yrs. I have missed 4 meetings.

Lucy, May, & Stephen Thacher called today for me, & there have been a no. of phone calls. Kind people. I've written a wee bit.

Ther

MON. JAN. 25, 1915

Wea

Rain & sun early A.M., then cloudy
rest of day. Wind - 30, 38

I had a good night and
was grateful not waking much
refreshed - I have spent
the day quietly in the house,
doing a little in my her-
barium, and correcting
the page proof of my article
on Herbarium which
I received this morning,
It is for the new Cyclo. Amer.
Hort. by R. H. Bailey.

I have begun to put
my Herbarium cards in the
new books which are
very satisfactory indeed.

This evening I have read
to Mr. Shinkbrow a portion
of Julius Caesar, for we
expect to see the Jewett
Players in this next Sat.
afternoon.

Clear a little cloudy at times
Air brisk, Cool. 32, 34

A rather poor night, not
going to sleep till nearly
five. Why, I know not.

Dr. Houghton came out to
see me this morning, & I
had a long talk with
him. He is a fine man.

I took a walk this
noon.

During the day I have
been getting my Paris
card into the album.

It will be a great
comfort when done.

This morning at
8.15 with the sun
bright I saw Venus
a bright gem in the
south with my naked eye.

This evening Mr & I went to
the Shakespeare Club at Mrs
Houghton's, 1/2 of Otello. Mr. Bancroft
been for a long time. Pleasant times.

Cloudy, cool. 32, 34

I was at home to-day working quietly over my various interests. I spent the morning & part of the afternoon over the Shakespeare work.

We were pleased to receive a card & circular from Miss Mune Tsuda from Tokyo, Japan.

This evening I went in to the We Dine at Joe Svodale's. Eleven of us met, Bent being absent. We had a good time as usual. I was absorbed much of the conversation.

Svodale's large drawing room overlooking the Basin is very fine. The sweeping view with the myriad of lights in a half circle is wonderful.

Cloudy evening, clear, cool, 30-36.

I have been busy to-day
arranging my Paris cards.
It is quite a job. The
albums with interchangeable
sheets are very nice.
The hard question is as to
the order.

This afternoon we went
to Mrs. E. W. Myman's funeral
at St. John's. She died on
Jan 25th after a stroke of
paralysis. We shall miss her.

Later we called on the
Patons & saw Miss Paton
who has a bad cold.

Then we called on Mrs.
John H. Wright & Jack at
the Strathmore Hall.

Our calls were very pleasant.

This evening I was a
gain at Paris cards.
They will be a great
satisfaction, when done.
Good talk with J. R. C. on phone

Ther

FRI. JAN. 29, 1915

Wea

Clear, calm, cold. 18, 32

This morning I worked
on Davis cards. Then
I walked to Harv. Sq. &
Central Sq. on errands.

Then to Boston by rail
to J.R.C.'s & John & Martha
and home to lunch.

Afternoon at home
on cards.

This evening I went
to the Travellers Club
at the Harvard Club
at guest of Will Davis
to hear him on his
Smith Sea expedition
in 1914. He went less
into strict science and
more into narrative
than at his lectures
on the same subject
that I have heard.

I met Thayer, Sinclair Kennedy, Town-
send, Prof. Fay, Julius Wakefield & bro.
Lyman & Roland Deane & ^{some} ^{other} { with Will Davis

Ther

SAT. JAN. 30, 1915

Wea

Clear, calm, cold. 3.20.

This morning I was busy about various things at home -

After an early lunch we three went in to the Boston Opera House and saw the Jewett Players in "Julius Caesar".

The audience filled the whole house mainly. I went over the entire house to the topmost seat and was much interested in all - We had orchestra seats and the play was wonderfully well done - Home by 16 P.M.

Charles Kautail came to dinner and spent the evening by the fire.

I had a phone talk with Remond over some problems in re fruiting times of some shrubs.

Ther

SUN. JAN 31, 1915

Wea

Cold, dull, snow. 11, 26

I spent most of to-day on my Paris cards and am well on the way to completion. I have made a plan for order.

There are so many different arrangements that it has taken time to think out a simple practical one. I shall put a description of the method in the first volume.

I wrote called their plan and we talked over the Stuart pictures of Grandfather & Grandmother Weston. All is fixed. They are presented to the Mus. of Fine Arts and given them in 15 yrs. or less. They will be in Cambridge during that period. Mary & I do not think it advisable to have them at all. Geo. & Mary will have them.

Ther

MON. FEB. 1, 1915

Wea

hired, rizzle & freeze, everything
covered with ice. 24, 36

This morning I went on
to the Mt. H. and worked
for Local Flora, recording
from Urticaceae into Po-
lygonum -

This P.M. I have been
revising Desmodium -

We are widening the
arch between the front &
back parlor. The men began
this morning -

This evening I went to
Tremont Temple & heard
Sir Douglas Mawson with
his wonderful views, set &
moving on ^{his} Antarctic trip
(Antarctic Expedition)
1911-1914. The base was Adelie
Land, west of Shackleton & Scott's
base. Scientific work entirely

The morning views of Blizzards
& the animal & bird life was
unexcelled. Will Davis introduced him

Ther TUES. FEB. 2, 1915 Wea

Wind, snow and fine rain freezing as it
fell, cold, blustering. 10 - 30.

The ground is white and
it has been a bitter day.

I have spent morning
and afternoon at the Gray
Herb. on Local Flora.

I met Dr. Brainerd there
and he came back and
lunched with us. He is
so bright & cheerful.

This afternoon Kewell
came out and we worked
together at the Herb.
and have got to Ulex.

I am glad to be at
home this evening.

Hassall Brown has sent
me 5 tickets to Miss Houghton's
for Feb. 9 (Arthur W. Locke's musical
recital). I have given 2
to the Choates, 2 to the Chap-
man, and one to Alice
Channing.

Ther

WED. FEB. 3, 1915

Wea

Cloudy, a little sun in the air
cold, calm. 10-17-

Vegetation glittering with
frost this morning. I worked at
W. H. H. on Local Flora.

Dr. Brainerd came back
with me to lunch.

This afternoon I worked on
my Shelburne sheets of which
I took back 2 boxes for G. H. H.

I dined with Mary & George
and at about 8.30, George

& I went in to the opening of
the Robert Dawson Evans Mem-
orial Galleries for Paleontology
at the Cret. Museum. (8.30 to 11.30)

Music 10000 invitations, all our
friends, and the place was packed.

Wonderful sight, much dress.

The galleries are superb, and
wonderfully lighted and must be
visited again and again -

Met many friends - J. R. & Mrs. C. were
there. too crowded to do more than
general inspection Home by 12.15

Ther THURS. FEB. 4, 1915 Wea ¹⁹
Thompson Spa 3 a.m. - 12 mid. (Ave. 18 ²⁴)
Clear calm hazy. { 14 - 23

This morning I went
over to the Gray Herbarium
and worked on Local Flora
Fernald went over some
of my Shelburne plants
that were doubtful;

I took DeBromm
back with me to lunch
and we had a good
talk. He left for the
Hgh. a while after lunch
Later Lucy & Mary &
Mary came over to see
the parlor with the
central arch nearly
doubled in width. This
was begun Monday A.M.
and finished this A.M.
%C makes the parlor one
large room - very fine.

Worked on my plants and reading
papers & Outlook aloud
to Mr. & Miss B.

Ther

FRI. FEB. 5, 1915

Wea

Lowmoy mild. 48, 37

This morning I went
to Gray Herbarium and
worked in Local Flora.
Dr. Brainerd came back
and I lunched with us.

The afternoon was
spent busily and
by 6 P.M. I was at
12 Reservoir St., where
I dined with Emily wife
of H. Robinson, Est. Rand.
Dr. Lambert & Margaret
Wheeler. These dinners
are a great treat.

There is much conver-
sation of great interest.

We were at Club by
8 P.M. 3 Joy St. Boston.

F. H. Allen was my guest.

Dr. Brainerd talked to us
on *Vicia* & *Rubus*. He told
the story of F. H. Allen's *V. pa-
gescens* in Sing Sing Res. & at his
home was told some 4 1/2,

packed 3 H. m. This after called on Dr. Thos Doyle at the Baltimore.

Ther

SAT. FEB. 6, 1915

Wea

Lowering wind 33, 55
Misting to-day.

I have been busy,
at home to-day, in my
verbascum. - All my
Shelburne plants for 1913
& 1914 and arranged sys-
tematically & in covers for
C. S. Deane to see.

J. R. Churchill & Canton
came about 6 P.M., and
we dined rather hurriedly
and hurried off to the
Cambridge Dramatics.

The party was one of
the best for a long time,
'Green Stockings'. J. R. C. was
my guest. Afterwards we
talked to friends and
broke up finally.

The coming submarine
blockade of Great Britain
is full of terrible possibilities
and I wish the war
was over - -

Ther

SUN. FEB. 7, 1915

Wen

Cloudy, melting - 37, 46.

I have been quietly at home the most of the day, reading the papers, &c. -

I have begun to lay out some grasses rec'd from Prof. Hitchcock this morn. Mr. Hain Paton called and later we went to the Batcheldens to meet Dr. Dwight & his wife (4-6). We had a very pleasant time.

After tea we called on Miss Hilda Parker at Mrs McMillan's, & found that Mrs. McKendree were expected any minute from Saranac Lake. They arrived very soon & after greetings we returned.

Worked on Income tax in evening.

Ther

MON. FEB. 8, 1915

Wea

Clouds, mild melting, 35° ~~40°~~
I started a cold last evening
and have kept the house
to-day. I don't think it will
be worse. I have been
at my table all day, writ-
ing letters mostly, to Tim,
Buda, his sister Hammond,
Rebecca & Martha & J. H. Rose, J. F.
Collins, Mr. Blaschka, & E. J.
Gills required attention.
George called this afternoon
and later Mr. Dexter.
May was much pleased
with the various im-
provements Mayre has
been making in the
house -

I spent much time
over the papers. The
German war zone is a
most indefinable matter
and will cause much
trouble, I fear, among
neutrals. Would all were over.

Ther

TUES. FEB. 9, 1915

Wea

Clear, cool, calm, 28, 34.

This morning walked
to Ham Sq., then on to
Park Sq. Went to Franklin
Savings Bank. Then to
Steen's. Pleasant talk
with Mr. Allison & the new man.
Got a roll - long way to diff.

Then to Ham Court & to
Ham. Sq. Walked home,

at home this P.M. busy
in various directions.

Shakespeare Assn here,
first time for us.

Great success. There
were 23 members present
besides 6 others. M. & I were
of the 23, and besides were
Lucy, Mary, Grace, Mrs. Mather
(Miss Bick's friend), Mrs. Thomas
and Miss Brown. The reading
(last half of Othello) was ex-
ceptionally good. Everything
is due to M. & Miss Brown. Supper
was in the dining & reception rooms.

Ther

WED. FEB. 10, 1915

Wea

Clear, calm, cold. 12. 27

To-day I have done my
usual work at the Record
besides casting & printing
notices for next time.
I have also finished
getting it. Matter
sent from Washington
on Dec. 14 into the
mounting box. Even the
distinguished botanists
do not make good, in
many cases even decent
specimens. Roots filled
& caked with mud! Several
plants pressed in a mass!
And yet they are very
desirable species -

Thurs 4th. I called on
Mrs. Robinson and got some
Polish play & a coat-of-arms.
She is working for the Polish
relief fund - Worthy work.

This evening I read aloud
Merchant of Venice for Sat.

many's story -

Ther THURS. FEB. 11, 1915 Wea

Clear calm crisp. 21, 46 -

It has been a glorious
day inviting me to be
out of doors -

This morning I walked
to Harv. Sq. and then
went to Boston, got a
ticket for 'Merry Wives'
from the Plr. of the 17th
and then went to 20
Beacon St. and called
on Mr. Sprague who is
more than polite to me.

He showed me his
work & then took me
to lunch to Marston's.
I've had a good talk.

Then went to Holys
& got Touris & R. books.
Then home & did some
work before supper.

Then a man came from
St. Vincent & put the picnols
in good shape. I showed him
everything. I have played much

Ther

FRI. FEB. 12, 1915

Wea

Cloud, with a little rain
in A.M., clearing, sun in
P.M. Evening bright, air
mild and pleasant. 40, 50

This morning I put 8 more
of J.R.L.'s *Reveria* plants of
1912 & a few others into the
burning box. Then Mr. & I
went to Boston. I left her
at Inman & Heath's where I found
that my albums are on the way.

Then down Washington St. Saw
models of a torpedo & shell in
a window. The shell, a ton in
weight, can be thrown 2 miles
& will then go through 4½ ft
of metal!!

Lunched with J.R.L. at
the Thompson Spa. Then got
a few Valentines & came
home -

Some work on Income Tax
Reports -

This evening finished reading
about Merchant of Venice.

Clear, calm, cool. 25, 35.

This morning I finished putting into the box the bundle of F.H.C.'s plants given me June 7 last. They are mainly from Arizona, N.M.

After an early lunch we three went to the Boston Opera to see The Jewett Players in Shylock. We met Miss B. there. It

was a very fine performance. Miss B. was very fine as Shylock. Ralph was excellent, as usual, in Bassanio, Gratiano, very good, as Gratiano, Miss Birrell was very sweet as Portia, &c. &c. It is a great treat to see these plays. We got home a little before dinner.

This evening was spent in reading the paper. I also worked on Paris card. More albums came yesterday.

Clear, cloudy in evening,
calm, cool, 29, 40.

I have spent practically
all day over my Paris cards
getting them into the
new books. There are ques-
tions that come up as to
the best method in some
cases. It will take me
some time to finish.

This afternoon I called
on Lucy and then on
Prof. Putnam and family.
I had a very pleasant
time. Mrs. Putnam
came as I was going.

I have written W. H. H.
Bartlett of Washington, D. C.
Sec. Bot. Soc. Amer. politely
declining election into
that Society. There are
many reasons for it.

I received some valen-
tines today. I am still
young enough for that!!

Clear, a little sun, some
expected in the evening - 36, 56.

This morning I walked
to Harv Sq. and then
to the Gray Herb. where
I worked on Local
Flora till 1 o'clock
I found the weather there
and he came back with
me to lunch -

We revised my genus
Speyularia acc. to
Rhodora. xii, 153-167, 1910.

Weatherly night & back.

I staid at home worked
on *Speyularia* sheets &
then on Paris cards.

Luey & May called -

Whittall Club this evening.
Mr. Brewster read his notes
on the Pileated Woodpecker,
most interesting. I met
^{Lewis} Mr. Dexter of Manchester, N.H.
a friend of Mr. J.W. Batchelder.
He was a guest of Dr. Tyler.

Cloudy mild, calm, a little
rain in A.M. 40, 48

This morning I went to
the Gray Herbarium and spent
the morning in social
hours work. Everybody was
busy as usual. Breakfast
went with Fernald to lunch.
I returned home with
Dr. Robinson.

This afternoon I rested
& reviewed "Many Wives".

This evening Mr. & I
went to Boston and
called on R. A. & Mrs. Ware
214 Newbury St. We were
disappointed to find them out.
Then we called on W. A.
Mrs. Jeffries and made a
very pleasant call upon
them. Home a
little before 10.30.

They are all absorbed in the
progress of this terrible war.
The blockades soon begin.

Clear calm cool 32. 41

in. After I went up to
3 LRS & we walked over
to the Gray Hall where I
worked till after noon
then good bye to Heather by
which I got home probably
10-15 minutes earlier.

After lunch I went in
alone to Boston I saw
'Merry Wives' which was
very well performed indeed.
The two wives were inimitable
full of vivacity & humor. Talford
I liked much too. He had an
excellent set-up. I was home
by before six.

I called by request this evening
on Mr Spalding who told me of
the scream illness of his sister
Louise. She undoubtedly cannot
recover.

But I stayed at home
over various things.

The terrible war over.

Clear calm mild. 20, 31/

I have worked all day at the Gray Herbarium, over Local Flora, going there morning and afternoon. It is a lot of work, but the end will be made out I trust in a few days. There is always pleasant intercourse with the staff and others there.

Mr. Stevens is always working on his Flora of Oklahoma. His herbarium is in the basement. I saw it to-day.

The central portion of the Herbarium are opened Tuesday last. It is a noble room and when in working order will be a joy to all.

This evening we called on Mrs. Lescroart + 2 daughters (in), Mrs. Burrell (out), Mrs. Sheffield (in).

Ther

FRI. FEB. 19, 1915

Wea

Clear, calm, brisk. 25, 42

This morning, I worked hard at the Gray Herk. and have got to Saxifragaceae the last order. Home to lunch.

This afternoon I worked on the card and on my Paris card and am making progress.

Mr. C. P. Sprague came out by a little after 5 P.M. and staid to dinner & spent the evening. He had much of interest to tell and we had a very pleasant time.

The war news gets more & more critical. Our negotiations with Germany are getting strained. She seems to be desirous to quarrel with everybody. Peace, peace, come, but where can it be?

Ther

SAT. FEB. 20, 1915

Wea

Clear calm, brisk. 30, 41

This morning I worked
at The May Hk till about
11:15 and finished making
The card to Rosaceae.

This afternoon M. & I
went to the Spaldings to
Miss Jennie Spalding's funeral.
Then to Mt. Auburn to the grave.

Then we called on
Susie Hayes and she is
very brave. Her sister Carrie
has died & May is lying
motionless and will die
any minute - very sad.

After this we called
on Jack Read who has
had foot for nine weeks
and I never knew it
till today. We went up
stairs and sat with him
for some time. He can walk
a little now.

This evening at home
quite ready to rest -

Clear, calm, cool. 31, 40.

I have spent most of my spare time to-day on Paris Bridges and they are now in perfect order in two volumes with unlimited expansive power. The Churches are in two volumes also and the other cards are all ready for covers.

It is quite a bit of work and a good collection.

M. K. dined to-day with Luellie Abill Davis, and we had a bright time. I saw the famous opal and pearl, very handsome. Mill is full of coral reefs. George called this morning. I read some to M. this evening.

Germany's War Zone will bring trouble to us!!

Clear & cloudy, mild 30, 42

This morning I worked at home writing letter to

Last evening at 10.45 a box was left at the home by special delivery from Mrs. W.M. Bailey containing beautiful red & white Linp-Drag out in memory of W.M. B's birthday, Feb. 22. It was a very beautiful thing to do. I immediately sent her a night letter and this morning I wrote

At noon Mr. & I went to Fresh Pond Grove, walking, except for car from Huron Ave. to Parkway when going. All ice on pond except west end. There I saw Black Ducks 125, Gulls 15, Cur. Mergansers 1 ad ♂, 3 ♀♀ or im.

Busy at home this P.M. Lucy called, also Ellen McMillan.

This evening Mr. & I called on Mr. & Mrs. Goodall. Both at home (we had a very bright time). They are full of good stories

Ther

TUES. FEB. 23, 1915

Wen

Sun and cloud, a little
 rain, mild. 35, 49.
 This morning I walked
 to the Square and did
 errands - Hair cut
 then to W. Ab. for an
 hour & home again
 This afternoon I
 planned the play for
 March 9, J. Caesar Acts
 3, 4 & 5 - Did a little
 work on my Camb. Chor.
 R. marsh plants. I hope
 to write a paper on this.
 May Dexter came to
 dinner and we three
 walked down to the
 Shakespeare Club at
 the Bowmer. We had
 a very interesting paper
 by Luc K. A. Turner on the
 Roman plays. He
 gave a general resume' &
 dwelt on J. Caesar in par-
 ticular - Read part of J. Caesar.

Hickey: utter very spring call. { each 9 each.

Cloudy, rainy weep. 41. 61
 A very mild day -

This morning Mr. & I
 walked to Harvard Sq. From
 there I returned ^{by rail} and spent
 a large part of the day
 on Shakespeare work.

The records and the no-
 tice for next meeting took
 much time. There are 39
 characters which I have con-
 tributed among 14 characters.

We dine this evening
 at ~~Robt. Jackson's~~ ^{Robt. Jackson's} 195 Bay
 State Road, Boston. Will
 Brewster & I went in to-
 gether. Eleven were present,
 all but Bent. We were
 back on to the Back Bay
 and the view is very fine
 over the water with myriads
 of electric lights. He was
 absorbed much of the talk.
 Heavy rain & wind on the
 return. Home by 11:20.

Ther THURS. FEB. 25, 1915 Wea

4 in. clear blue sky with
some rain, over clear, 40, 55.

I spent today on my
Paris Card and they are done!
There are nine vols. with in-
terchangeable leaves filled and
indexed. It is a large job
finished. There are over 1000 cards.
The last question is how to letter
the outside flexible covers.

This evening I took George
in to the Arena to the Skating
Carnival for the benefit of Ellen
Memorial and Eldredge H. and E.

The skating was wonderful
A Hucker, Sam (Illinois), Dennis Hucker
by boys in skating feet with beavers was
most amusing. Mr. & Mrs. Mulder
as Harlequin & Columbine and Mr.
W. J. Jaycock were supreme. We
got home by about 10.45.

The war goes on. The War
Zone is taking its toll and
the end is far off. What
will stop the horrors!

Ther

FRI. FEB. 26, 1915

Wea

Clear with wind clouds, growing colder all day. 25 - 1/0

I have been busy as usual, to-day at home. Among other things I have begun to put into the mounting box J.R.C. plants of *Heimia* & *Colenso* given me last December 12. They are all Gray's Manual species.

I dined with Charlie Townsend and family, they had 7 nests and nine sat down at table. Frances is getting to be a big girl. Francis Cullen called before eight and we three walked over to the Trapper Club at the Harvard Club and listened to a talk by Prescott Fay on his trip in British Columbia & Alberta last year to locate the range of sheep in the Mts. for an Govt. survey. Streamer work. Home by 11.15.

Clear, cold, bracing 18°, 32.

This morning I did some botanical work. Mrs. McMillan called at noon and I looked over my plants for one of Mrs. McMillan.

After lunch I met Lucy & Mary at their house and we went in by car to see the Taming of the Shrew by the Youth Players. We all enjoyed the performance. The comic parts were especially good. M. A. Cole & Maudie are stars. The difficult parts of Katharine & Petruchio were open to some criticism but were, I think very creditably done, and certainly with great vigor. Ralph (Leicester) is always good.

Home by auto —

This evening we sat by the parlor fire & I read aloud in the Atlantic in the war.

Ther

SUN. FEB. 28, 1915

Wea

Clear, chilly - 20, 34 -

This morning I wrote
and was busy generally.
At noon I called on
Mary O'Grady -

After dinner I went
to Symphony Hall & met
Arthur C. Sprague who
had invited me to hear
Harold Bauer & Pablo
Casals, the world renowned
pianist & cellist. It
was truly a most ex-
quisite performance.
Mr. Robinson has told me
that no man in the world
can draw a bow across
the strings of a cello
as can Casals. The
composers, played, were Bee-
thoven, Schumann, Bach &
Brahms - Solo & duet.
We had tea & toast afterwards.
Home to supper -

Evening, writing etc -

Ther

MON. MAR. 1, 1915

Wea

Clear calm, cool 22, 40.

This morning I went to the Gr. Hb and finished some work on the local flora. Dr. Kennedy came over and spent the morning there, going over the bog with B. H. R., especially the central room and finished. There's a rest on the plants are moved up into it and are in cases on the front W balcony. Dr. K. benched with B. H. R.

This P.M. I finished putting J. K. C.'s plants into the mounting box. I took Miss Anderson a box full this A.M. The rest goes over, I hope to-morrow. Am getting my duplicates into systematic order.

Nuttall Club this evening: G. M. Allen on "Deer running" in early days. The morning in the snow, up to 10000, ducks & killed them -

Ther

TUES. MAR. 2, 1915

Wea

Clear, bracing cool. 28, 44.

This is wonderful weather. The sky is brilliant and the air fresh and snappy. Moon brilliant.

This morning I went to Dr. S. and sent Dr. Deane a map. After several and on to W. 11th. Stopped & inquired for Mrs. Enslin who will be operated on for appendicitis. After work she is cheerful. I saw her. Then left a package of plants for Mrs. Anderson and home to lunch.

This P.M. on acts and local F.R.

May Dexter & I went this evening to Boston Opera to Midsummer Night's Dream. Performance 8-11-15!! Practically no audience. The real good work was in the comedy by the name of Itchen. They were admirable for their first appearance. Thompson (Crocker), Minnie, (Minnie), all the lovers were not so inspiring. Puck was fine (Minnie's wife).

Home by about 12

Ther

WED. MAR. 3, 1915

Wea

Clear night growing very cold in the P.M. 16, 30.
The wind & cold has been
since this P.M. & evening
this P.M. at home.
This P.M. that I called
on Mrs. & Mrs. Lowell
Saw Mrs. Lowell & some
of her callers.

This evening, Bro. & I went
to the Nat. Soc. Nat. Hist.
& heard Prof. Parker on the Fur
Seals of the Pribilof Is.
He has been out there on a
Govt. trip. It was very in-
teresting indeed. After the
meeting Robt. Jackson gave me
a daguerreotype of Helen Webster.
His mother before her marriage had
instructed Helen. I was of course
much pleased.

I gave S. M. Allen some stamps
bought by J. V. Rose at the P.O. in Chile.
Chile stamps - 11 in number
value 1, 2, 4, 8, 15, 20, 30, 40
50 60 Centavos 1 1 Peso -

Ther THURS. MAR. 4, 1915 Wea

Clear, crisp calm. 13, 45

It has been a perfect day.

I went to Greenville this morning by the 10.08 train and spent the day with Dr. Keady, returning by the 5.26, reaching home at 6.25. We spent most of the time making record for the local flora, and we had a good talk and I noted, gave us some records of which she has many excellent ones. Miss Hyatt was there too.

Dr. K. had seen in the paper that Fernand had received the Fisher Rep. slip of West History and I immediately phoned home and we sent him some roses.

This evening I called on him & Mrs. F. and congratulated them both. It is a great honor. Roland Dixon was there. I trust a good salary attend it.

Clear cool calm, 27, 40.

Another wonderful day.

At home this A.M. & P.M.

Joannie & Edna Chapman
and Miss Harmon came
to lunch. Among other things,
they were much impressed by my
wood-carving of 1875 - I should
have it mounted.

I went to E.F.W.'s at 6 P.M.
to our usual dinner. I took
Mrs. Williams a box of Madame
Charles Russell roses (15) a new
form, but little known yet.

They were much surprised
for I had expected Killam
Green, and we didn't know
who & there were. (I found out
this morning Mar. 6). E.F.W., Mrs.
E.F.W., B.H.H., E.H.H., Wiggins & I
were the dinner party.
Miss Huckle, a guest, was up stairs.

Then to the Bot & Cul
Fine meeting. Mr. L. talked on
the relations of Eu. Hume. plants.
I showed some Pan. & mounted them
at home by 11.45 -

Cloudy, cold & chilly. 31, 39
air calm.

I spent much of this
morning sorting local
Fl. card, and then I
worked on my own
Rumex, organizing it
so I want to do with
my whole herbarium.

Mr. Kunkelton came
by 11:30 and we worked
hard on a paper on
Local Flora till 8:30.
He staid to dinner
and we went through
our card to Rumex,
making one third of our
card. We shall make
3 papers.

On March 3 I was
appointed by the Over-
seers of Ham College
to be Chairman of
The Comm. of the Board of
Overseers on Botany.

Cloudy calm, chilly 32, 38.

At home most of today
 Luc & George called.

Mr. Matthews called this
 evening and presented
 me with his Field Book
 of American Trees and
 Shrubs just out. He
 has been two years on it
 besides, of course, much
 additional work.

This morn I went over
 to The Gray Herbarium and
 met Dr. Robbins on there
 and I presented my case
 of *Polygonum lapathifolium*
 var. *incanum*, vs. *P. to-*
mentosum, var. *incanum*.
 He says that I am right;
 the plant of our local
 flora region is the former
 that var. is not in the
 last ed. of the Manual.
 It is an interesting case.
 Finished organizing Rumex

Clear and cool - 32, 40

This morning, I went to the
Gr. Hb. and did a little work.
Then I went to 86 Sparks St.
and staid there a while.
Then home to lunch.

This noon Dr. Diemer
came and staid to
lunch.

This afternoon I was
in my herbarium work-
ing, and at 5 I went
to 86 Sparks St. and
did some work with Geo.
but I can't Bigelow
called soon and in-
terrupted it. I returned
to dinner.

This evening I did
some work with Margie
for a while.

Tomorrow we elect a
city government and probably
the same vill corrupt
crowd will get in.

Ther

TUES. MAR. 9, 1915

Wea

Clear calm, bracing. 24, 44.

I have been busy all day over M's and my own accounts, so I have nothing of interest for the day. May Dexter called this P.M.

This evening M. & I went to the Shakespeare Club and May Dexter's. We had a very good reading - Play Julius Caesar, Acts III, IV, V. 22 members present.

The social part of the reading is a very bright, pleasant occasion. I do not record this in the records -

The morning I voted for W.D. Rockwood for Mayor & W.G. Crawford School Comm. Man-at-Large Ford is again elected. I don't know any more.

Clear, calm, tracing. 30, 47.

This morning I went up to 86 & put in 8¢ & went over acct. with \$5.00

The rest of the day I was busy over my Shakespeare record and notices and also on business matters till dinner time.

This evening Mr. & Mrs. Scudder (out) are there on Will & Mollie Davis. Will was out, but we had a nice talk with Mollie.

The news from the war centre is, as ever, awful. Now the region around Constantinople is the center of interest. Will the allied fleet get there? The Turks rage and the situation is daily more terrible.

Ther THURS. MAR. 11, 1915 Wea

Clear, calm, brisk. 33, 44

Another wonderful day

This morning I did a little work at the Gray Herbarium. Brought home 2 boxes of mounted plants.

Charles Batchelder called at 12 m. & I named a few plants for him.

This afternoon I worked some on the plants just mounted.

H. W. & Mrs. Ware came to dinner. R. W. came early as I was hard up on time in my herbarium and study both before and after dinner. He left his *Dolamocetous* for me to name - Mrs. Ware is so much better. She came out alone and was bright & happy all the time. They went about 10.15.

Ther

FRI. MAR. 12, 1915

Wea

Clear, calm, mild, an absolutely ideal day, 26, 40.

I spent this morning in my study & herbarium. After lunch I went to our Comm. meeting at the Gray Hk. Pres. Miss Loring, Miss Minns, Mr. White, Mr. Kidder, & J. Williams & J. Dr. Robinson gave us a full acct. of the financial condition of the institution in every detail. The new central portion was contributed to by Mr. White, Dr. Kennedy, Miss Minns & Miss Wells. inscription on a suitable tablet. The whole construction cost about \$116,000, including all the building & furnishing.

The Comm. inspected the bldg. Tea was served and the staff were all present.

This evening, I read the paper to M. She was all day in Boston & was tired.

Ther

SAT. MAR. 13, 1915

Wea

Clear calm bracing, 26, 50.
Another wonderful day.

This morning I looked
over my plants & I want to
get everything in to the bank
as soon as possible.

After lunch Mrs. Brown
& I went in to see the
first Shakespearean play
by the Talcott Players,
"Twelfth Night".

I enjoyed it very much
indeed. To me it was a
fine performance. Monte
Sole, as Malvolio, gave a
finished piece of work
that was much appreci-
ated. Crocker as Sir Toby
& Madie as Sir Andrew
were remarkable. Viola
Compton made a very
charming Viola. The 3
hours sped quickly.

Home to dinner.
Evening at home -

Clear, calm, bracing, and
mellow day - 31, 44.

M. & I have been very
busy today over business
matters of importance.

This afternoon I called
on Mrs. & Miss Palmer & had a
bright time - I took some
2 vols. of my Paris cards
in which they were much
interested.

I saw a glorious sunset
from their windows, 3rd story.
Looking west over river
& marshes. Sky clear.

This evening I finished
going over the plants re-
ferred to from Mrs.
Anderson. I want them
in my herb. nam primum.

I have written to J. N.
Rose. We are to go to
them in April 9 if all
goes well. May nothing
happen to prevent!

Ther MON. MAR. 15, 1915 Wea

Clear, with some wind
bearing glooms 26, 44,
Left home this A.M.
busy with one thing
or another

Albert & I went to
Boston, Dennis's, Nelson
& Carter, Allen Bros. for
rubber stamp, and to
lunch.

Met M. at F.R.'s
at 2.30 and we had
a long business talk
reaching home to dinner

Initially Clark then
evening & Council Meeting
Mell Brown presided at the
Council Meeting, but went
into the house afterwards
Charlie Townsend was absent
and I presided at the
regular meeting. Mr. Fay
gave his ill'd talk on his
experience, in Alberta & Brit. Co
Columbia, same as at the "Ivory" Club

clear, calm bracing. 27 1/2.
Once more a wonderful day.

This morning I was busy
with various things.

After lunch we three went
see Doc. Mackintosh's exhibit
at Doll & Richards. What interested
us especially was the Shelburne ex-
hibit, 7 pictures in winter all near
a on Philbrook farm. They are ex-
tremely not attractive for titles
see end of diary. Gus & his red sleigh
are in three of them, and are
very effective.

Then we went to the
Public library, but the Lowell
plates of the planets & comets
were gone. I have seen them
twice - then last I went to
Trinity Church to a short ser-
mon by Rev. Mr. Kidner. Then
to Brown's for glasses, and
home, calling on Lucy.

Evening spent writing
and so forth —

I brought of Joe for the rummage sale
x for a \$10.00 a Spanish silver fork!
They want to raise money to employ a
Teacher to instruct the school children in raising
vegetables -
WED. MAR. 17, 1915 Wed.

Cloudy with a few snow-
flakes, sun. Weathering with
an interval, calm, chilly 27, 33.

I left here at 11 A.M. and
went to Canton by the 12.05
Back Bay train & walked to
The Rogers'. All were at
home. I took 1 o'clock dinner
with them & took the 4.44 back.
Mrs. Rogers hardly knew me. Mary
was with her all the time.
Joe after dinner went to look
after a rummage sale that he
is going to conduct. On the
way back to the Sta., Rob went
with me & we stopped at the
Bldg where Joe was. He showed
me a crayon by W. B. Hunt, at
least with his name to it. I
gave Joe \$1 for a Spanish dagger
sent by somebody to the sale.
Home by about 6 P.M. -

The day, cloudy most of the
evening. Mrs. McMillan called
& spent the evening with me

Ther THURS. MAR. 18, 1915 Wea

Clear, with light clouds, air
bracing, calm - 23° , 41°

3 Miss Brown & I have been
very busy this morning and
afternoon, rearranging my
books, getting the botanical
books as nearly as possible to-
gether &c. Since the enlarge-
ment of our home the books
have been much scattered.
We made much progress.

This evening Mr. & I have
been very busy over our
wills which take a good
deal of careful thought
in many ways. I do want
everything to be satisfactory.

Tues. morning last (16th)
Mr. Oscar F. Adams called and
told me about some troubles
as to the unbound copies of this
"Mentley Test" for which storage is
to be changed, &c. He also wants to
dispose of some books. I shall in-
sert a notice in my Shakespeare notices.

Clear calm mild. 26, 49

Very busy write m. this morning over my wills.

Then to Boston, called at Allen Bros & got my stamp

Gray's Manual, 7th ed., 1908

(It wants a sample surface.)

Then had a talk with Julia's brother & then to J. L. L.

Then write him a good letter including lunch.

Everything is going on well.

Then I went to the Boston Theatre and saw the Williamson Bros. Submarine Motion

Pictures. They are certainly

remarkable and I am very

glad I went to see them.

The construction of the tube & operating chamber was all

demonstrated. Home before

Evening spent quietly

over my plants, and

reading the papers. The

Clear calm mild, another beautiful day. 29, 50.

This morning, I interviewed Mr. Burke & Mr. Crann in regard to Hazel Brown. Mr. Crann wants a situation as typewriter, stenographer & book-keeper.

Went then to Gray Herbarium. The Library then gave to me a book containing Mrs. O'Brien's list of plants for a book. See my sketch of Mrs. O'Brien. Most singularly I found a copy lying at home here & that was mine. I have had it for years.

We had to leave this morning, & Mr. & Mrs. Slackwell. Spent time. Showed my herbarium.

Then I worked in my Herbarium the rest of the day. I have stamped all the last numbered sheets & have 800.

tributed the journal Dance. Lettup. Greenhouse. Here we operated as for appendicitis!!

Cloudy, a little rain in the evening cloudy with moon breaks through. Mild. 32 44.

This morning I spent some my plants and Shakespeare work.

Mr Sheffield died intestate. I went to the Art Museum in Phila. with May Dexter. We went through part of the new portion and then, in the lecture hall heard Prof. Hans Franke on Durer's wood-cuts and etchings. It was a most interesting presentation and was well illustrated on the screen -

This evening Mr & I went up to Mary and made a call. We heard about Charles's trip to Arizona and California. He is much on the go. We hear Reppel's attack Paris!

Cloudy all day chilly. 34 47 -

Winn & I have been busy all day on my books, trying to classify them in a general way. We have made a good deal of progress - I want all books on botanical subjects to be together, if not in a single room, in a separate group in each room - I distributed a few sheets today, and I printed a notice to insert in the next Shakespeare notices in regard to Mr. G. Adams' books he would like to sell. His ~~house~~ called today and showed me a twig of a shrub gathered in the mountains near the winter, & just showing small leaves, I am sure it is Viburnum lentago.
Evening at home -

Clear, crisp, calm. 35, 50.
 To day there is spring
 in the air. Cambridge
 Common was well filled
 with boys playing base
 ball and a week more
 will take us to April.

I have been busy of
 usual at home most
 of the time.

This P.M. I walked
 to the square in error.

Fernald called me
 up to-day and wants to
 name the Silene anti-
rhinea without plentiful
 intercodes which he finds
 a fixed form - forma
Deaneana. He says

I first called attention
 to it. See Rhodora.

Shakespeare this evening
 at Prof. Hurlbut's. Good
 reading Antony (Prof. Fay),
 Cleopatra (Mrs. Wheeler),

Heard my first Robin in
front of the house.
Ther WED. MAR. 24, 1915 Wea

Clear calm air fresh & warm.
Spring is near. 36, 59

The leaves are being
raked from the beds,
all much spring growth
is revealed!

I spent much of this
morning over the
Shakespeare work & got
the notices off.

Then went to Brown &
I have been hard at
it arranging my books.
We are going well.

The dinner this evening
with W. C. Jeffries. I went
in with Hill & saw in -
All present except Barlow
who is in Cuba. We
had our usual good social
time and it was late
when I entered my home
at 12 o'clock. The heavens
were clear as crystal and
the stars so brilliant.

Ther THURS. MAR. 25, 1915 Wea

Clear calm & clear & evening
cloudy - 36, 60 -

Thurs. finished dis-
tributing J.R.C.'s plants
through Helen -

At 12 went in to Boston
& called on J.R.C. We
went over our papers
and had now the
last drafts - We
lunched together and
a little later I went
to the Arena & met
there Mrs. & Ellen McWilliam
Mrs. McK. returned home &
Ellen & I saw the compe-
tition skating and some
wonderful work by Jaycock.
He is a wonder, springing
with ease and grace
and performing wonderful ev-
olutions. We got home by 6.10.

Mrs. McK. & Ellen took
dinner here and we had
a pleasant evening together.

Ther

FRI. MAR. 26, 1915

Wea

Clear cold, very windy,
calm in the evening. 28, 50.

To-day I wrote to Mr. Carr
in re his coming birthday,
on April 7, & I wrote to Helen
& Dick sending an Easter Card.

I have looked over a
pile of specimens collected
in Peterborough by her & Parker
common, mostly smaller ferns
and branches of trees, without
flower or fruit.

I also named a set
of *Polanoglossa* for R. L. Ware
from various localities. There
were seven sps.

C. H. Knowlton came this
evening and we worked
hard on the Local Flora
for about 3 1/2 hours. We

have a long paper from
Urticaceae to Caryophyllaceae
that will be ready ere long.
Knowlton left at 10.30
to go to J. H. Fernald in re a
lot of Alnus he sent me.

Ther

SAT. MAR. 27, 1915

Wea

Clear, cold, very windy, dusty.
in Kingston May 18, 37

I have been busy
this A.M. & P.M. over
my pamphlets making
getting them into order.

This P.M. I called
on the Putnam's. All his
son Putnam have been
sick, including Prof. Putnam's
married daughter & children
from the west. I found Prof.
At home. His P. & the two children
and I had a pleasant talk.

This evening at home
filing pamphlets and
recording the papers.

There is so much to
read that one must take
much time even to
keep up with the war
in its generalities. We
are never sure of the
details. The horrors
increase. The end is far off.

Evening at home, acct. to the

Ther SUN. MAR. 28, 1915 Wea

Clear, calm bracing. 27.50

It has been a wonderful day. The air pure & refreshing the sky blue.

Mr. G. I. wrote his note that we went on to them on April 9.

Met Mr. at St Paul's at 10.45 and later after service we took the 12.30 Back Bay for Needville, auto'd to Hal Kennedy's and dined with Hal Mrs. W. & the 3 children. We had a lovely time. After dinner Hal & I auto'd to the library in Milton Centre where Hal has a bird exhibit illustrating bird migration. There were maps colored to show the details & type-written matter, and a specimen of the bird that makes the tour in most cases. Most creditable Hal had a special exhibit of *Fulgurites* They are all under a short cell on Dr. R. & children. Home 6:30

Ther

MON. MAR. 29, 1915

Wea

Cloudy & clear windy cool. 3: 3: 3:

This morning I walked
to train: (on errands.
Then went to Boston.
Left Seaside with Volpe
Carrington, Tom Jones, Bird-
Linn, & Avegn. Eastern ill
& White - met Mr. at
J.R.C.'s where we finished
our business with him
and now await the final
papers.

Mr. left + J.R.C. + I went
to lunch. Then I went over
to 98 Mt Vernon St. to see a
flowering plant. The first all I
knew. I was kindly received
by Miss Mary T. Light and shown
what the nurseryman called Lilium
Criminum in flower, beautiful.
The other one, a variety, 6 stems, showed. I
only saw one in the garden. It is Criminum
maria, white form. Flowers once
a year. We talked for nearly an
hour. I shall write her about it.
I want to talk with Mr. Cameron.
The plant has been in the house
and has flowered for 20 years.
Evening, at home on Easter Sunday

Clear, windy, cold - 27, 30.

This morning I went over to the Herbarium and found Mr. Cameron in his office. I had a long talk with him on Criminum Moorei Hook. f. its long-tubed bud etc. He has not seen this sp. in flower & will go to see it. He has cultivated the species. Then I spent some time in the Gray Herb and walked back with Dr. Britton.

This P.M. I wrote him Lgts. and W. T. Putnam, and then went over Hare's Botany as he has allowed me to take duplicates.

This evening I have been busy reading the paper and so forth.

Helen continues to read me "Land and Water" a very superior English weekly. She reads it first.

Clear, almost calm, mild, 27, 50.
An ideal spring day -

This morning I went to
Haw. by & then to the Mus.
Comp. Got charts & a model
for J.R.C.'s talk on Easter morning.
Pleasant talk with Dr. Osterhout's
assist. Then talk with S. Henshaw
Then home.

This P.M. to R. of Tor with
the apparatus for J.R.C.
He was much pleased.

My papers were ready &
I took them home for ex-
amination. Got tickets for
Washington on April 9.
It all looks like going
Home by 5 P.M. Packed.

This evening Mr. Gordon
Woods Thayer called and
spent the evening. He
was much interested in my
terbarium and my system
of catatopning. He stood
till 10.30

— See p. 6 —

Ther THURS. APRIL 1, 1915 Wea

Cloudy & clear, mild. 37, 52

This morning I went
to Boston and met Mr.
at the Cathedral where we
staid through noon service
which was very beautiful.

Then we went to
J.R.C.'s and completed
our business with him
to our great satisfaction.
I staid & lunched with
J.R.C. and then returned
home.

I called on Lucy who has
had pretty hard times the
past three days —

I have made a pkg.
of supplicants' prayers to
write Mrs. Plunkett.

I have rec'd a splendid
photo from Mrs. D.P.
recalling of her husband.
I have written Miss Ruth
K. Stowell 67 Green Cove, Maryland
in re the Mother's Saw-fly.

Ther

FRI. APRIL 2, 1915

Wea

Clear & cloudy, evening brilliant
Still no rain 37, 50.

This morning, I walked to H. Ave.
Sq. & sent off to Mrs. Chase a pk. of
some 25 or 30 sheets of Grasses.
Then a Boston, left a trunk & Condon
with Holzer, & other civ. A.
Called on Mrs. Penhallow at the
River Bank Court - Oct.
Walked to Central Sq. then to
Harvard Trust & City Hall
Car home.

This P.M. got out the Stokes
peace notices for May 4. Sent
off Easter cards.

Went at 6 at 12 Reservoir St.
E. F. & Mrs. Wm. L. Maynard, Har d
(out) Robinson, Lambert, self.

1 Ltr of Juncos to Maynard.
Then to 370 St. St. Club
most instructive paper & talk
by G. B. Reed (working with Osterhout)
on Salt-marshes and their Signifi-
cance in Coast Line Changes.

Home by about 11.30 -

Ther

SAT. APRIL 3, 1915

Wea

Violent storm beginning
about 11 A.M. preceded by heavy
clouds and high wind. The
storm raged all the rest of the
day. Snow 36, 36.

We have had a fine
day and I have been at
home. We went to Boston
early but got out by coming
up from Har. St. by A.R.R.

I have been busy
over various things,
filing pamphlets, writing
letters, local flora
work and a little reading.
I read in the evening.

At the death of a beautiful
little baby some 4 months
old I am very very
sorry for him. I know
the child was not growing
and he was so me
that he died at 11 A.M.
April. I shall write him
letter from Weatherly -

Ther SUN. APRIL 4, 1915 Wea

Easter Sunday
Amoy, clearing ground
white & slushy, calm,
cold - 31, 47.

A remarkable day.

Mr. & I went to St
Pauls to the morning
Service and enjoyed
it very much. Home
to dinner.

This P.M. I called on
the McWilliams, and
later I saw Mr. & Miss
Paton & Mrs. Thomas
& grandson who called
here - Mr. was away.
Then I called on
Mary & Geo and got back
to tea.

This evening I wrote
to Mr & Mrs Rose & poor
Bert whose child has
died.

Stars brilliant this
evening

Cloudy, with sun, cool.

The snow is everywhere
but melting out doing
much good to the thirsty
land.

Bury this AM at home
After early lunch walked
to Haul. St., then car to
Tremont & Berkeley Sts,
back to J.R.C.'s, talk
with him, took the charts
& model back to him. Conf.
Food. Saw talk with As-
sistant asst. Then to Bot
Lab, talk with Prof R.W.
Willson - Hope to see
some spot tomorrow AM.
Home -

This evening invited
Clegg - Noble as Bird
work in Goodenough.
He showed views and
described the relationships
between birds of the neigh-
boring islands

Clearing, mild. Drizzling
part of the time 38, 48.
much snow still lingered.

This Morn. I did a last
bit of local H. work at
Gray Club Bk. and gave
a 34 pp. page to B. & R.

At 11 A.M. Rob Rogers
came and he staid till
4 P.M. Then we hustled
getting ready for our
departure Fri. 27.

This evening I went
to the Shakespeare Club
at Prof Fitch's. Followed

We had a very suc-
cessful reading of the
latter half of Antony &
Cleopatra. Antony,
Prof Fay, and Cleopatra
Mrs Wheeler.

Sun overcast all day
so I could not see
the big sun-spot at
the Castrom. Lake. —

Clouds, damp & evening
 Calm, wind. 42, 53.
 I have been at home
 all day busy over an
 approaching visit to
 Washington - The
 D. L. I made out
 a list of desiderata
 in Iodine to
 take on to Washington
 with me. It may
 be a few, though
 Mrs. Chase has already
 given me many.
 She has written me
 inviting us to a tea
 meeting at her home
 on 22^d Apr. She is kind.
 Fisher wants me too.
 I must make plans
 when I get there.
 Mrs. John E. Chayer
 called this P.M.
 I was very glad to see her
 Well. We are off soon

Clear, calm, warm 39, 66.

This morning I went
down to the Hor. Astron. Lab
and spent an hour in the
Observatory looking at the Sun
spots. Prof Willson introduced me
to a friend & classmate of his, well
up in astronomy, Mr. Kelly. Mr. K.
& I spent an hour observing &
discussing. Two spots are very
large, the umbra & penumbra
being very clearly defined.

Then to Haw. Sq., cut (hair),
to home - Jennie Chapman ^{lunched} here.
At home this P.M. Have
not felt right to-day and
hope all will be well
for to-morrow. Gough
called to say good-bye.
We take the 10 A.M.
for New York. Then
the 4.25 p.m. Washington -
I shall rejoice when
Rose, meet us at the
Union Station

Ther

FRI. APRIL 9, 1915

Wea

44 , 66

Trip to
Washington, D.C.

See
Journal.

Ther SAT. APRIL 10, 1915 Wea

48 . , 68

Ther

SUN. APRIL 11, 1915

Wea

53 : 69

Ther MON. APRIL 12, 1915 Wea

53 ; 68

Ther TUES. APRIL 13, 1915 Wea

42 , 56

Ther WED. APRIL 14, 1915 Wea

39, 54

Ther THURS. APRIL 15, 1915 Wea

40, 49

Ther

FRI. APRIL 16, 1915

Wea

40, 54

Ther

SAT. APRIL 17, 1915

Wea

42 . 56

Ther

SUN. APRIL 18, 1915

Wea

45, 64

Ther MON. APRIL 19, 1915 Wea

48 , 72

Ther TUES. APRIL 20, 1915 Wea

60, 77

Ther WED. APRIL 21, 1915 Wea

44.57

Ther THURS. APRIL 22, 1915 Wea

40, 63

9 Ther FRI. APRIL 23, 1915 Wea

46, 70

Ther

SAT. APRIL 24, 1915

Wea

111, 54

Ther SUN. APRIL 25, 1915 Wea

44.72

Ther MON. APRIL 26, 1915 Wea

41 , 84

Washington, D.C.

(Cambridge, Mass.)

Ther TUES. APRIL 27, 1915 Wea

Cloudy warm then chilly
82° at 9.30 A.M. } 44, 52
44° . 1.30 P.M. }

I resume my diary after
a good many days.

This morning I wrote
letters, arranged papers
catching up -

This afternoon Hal Ken-
ney called. We walked
towards the Sy. together.
I had my hair cut
& then went to Boston
and got a good 3-bladed
pearl-handled knife for
Jab. Rose. His name will
be engraved on the side.
Did a few errands home.

This evening I was
busy with my Washington
plants, writing letters
and talking to friends
over the 'phone -

I shall be busy till
I leave in June -

Princess Mary's Gift Book
& some photos from The Cairns
Ther WED. APRIL 28, 1915 Wea
are here -

Cloudy, chilly. 42, 46.

I have been at home
this morning and
afternoon, busily writing
and planning and
catching up after our
absence from home -

Mrs. McMillan dropped
in at noon -

This evening we had
the last Wednesday
for this year -
last had Pando - I
done quite ways as I
must nurse my throat
Ten of us were present
Barbara & Bent being
absent -

We had a real, good
dinner and a real
good time. Our club
is quite an institution
and I wrote a long letter
today to C. B. Carr in re
the Christmas present -

Cloudy, chilly. 43, 51

I have staid at home to-day nursing my larynx which is improving.

I have written to Dr. Rose, Rebecca Rose, Luis Light, Ned Rand, &c

I have also worked over my Washington plants, labelling up the Great Falls, Va. plants. It has been very pleasant to see what I had of there in my herb and compare them with what I got. I should like to collect a good set of the plants of the District of Columbia in flower & fruit -

I sent off The Knife that I got there to Rose. His name is on the handle. I hope he will like it.

Rainy, with thunder, chilly. 43, 47.

My throat is very much better. I have staid at home today and have spent most of the time over my Washington plts. They are all named except two and are listed in my Journal. I collected 31 sps. when I expected to collect nothing and they are all labelled and ready to put on to the sheets. I have enjoyed this much.

I have written letters to Charlie Coolidge and to J. R. Churchill. The latter is at Goshen, Va., collecting vigorously.

Miss Fay wrote us a very cordial letter and we shall be glad to see her and Miss Hammond at Shelburne this summer. Nice letter & photos from Kees.

Ther

SAT. MAY 1, 1915

Wea

Cloudy, chilly - 41, 48

I am much better
and shall get out just
as soon as the sun shines.
Get home to-day -

I have got my Washington
plants all ready to be
mounted. Leaving out for the
moment Veronica agrestis
& Hydrocotyle sps.

Some more V. agrestis is to
come from Washington

Mr. W. L. McAtee has
sent me the so-called
Sagittaria ceras fr. Wenham Lake
Mass. in Cent. XXVIII, 1911, Apr. p. 188.

It is Elochea acicularis
the long leaved immersed form.

I felt sure it was not S. ceras.

I shall write him about it
and ask if I may correct it
in Thosora, unless he wants to.

This evening I have taken out of
my duplicates ^{about} 100 sheets of New Eng.
plants for Mr. Maxon, U.S. Nat. Herb.

Sent 3 violet 15 minutes to
name & return.

Ther

SUN. MAY 2, 1915

Wea

Ther. sunny, mild. 1/4 hr. cloudy. 41, 53.

This morning I called on
Hedra & long time with Mary
& George. Called on Lucy & May
but both were out.

Then I called on Fernald
and sat an hour with him.
I saw Mrs. Fernald who has
just lost her father. Home
to dinner.

This afternoon I listed
Max's plants and did up
the package. He will send
me franks.

I wrote a letter about the
so-called S. Ceres & asked him
to write a note for Rhodora.
I wrote Mrs. Chase and
Maithel Rose also.

This evening I made a
very pleasant call upon
the Thachers. Saw all but
Miss Margaret - they were
much interested my trip
to Washington.

Ther

MON. MAY 3, 1915

Wea

Edm. & rather mild a little
rain in evening 42, 50.

This morning I went
to Harvard Sq. and sent a
package of about 100 sheets
of New Eng. plants to U.S.
Nat. Mus. (Mr. Dixon)
I walked back with Lucy.

This afternoon I wrote
to F. Rose who has written
me and sent some of f. d.
insects & water-plants. I must
write my note to Rose to-
morrow.

My photos have come from
Lucy and on the whole
they are good.

This evening with Clark
Prof. Hubert Lyman Clark on Bird
Classification, a most interesting
& instructive talk. Much dis-
cussion followed. Mr. Field gave
an acct of the charges brought
against him by politicians is
one of his p. office. Sickening

Ther

TUES. MAY 4, 1915

Wea

Cloud & sun. mild. 46, 57.
 This Am. I worked on
 my Washington photo &
 sent off some film to
 Shorey - Walker & Har-
 S. G. in care of -

This P.M. I began
 to lay out some plants
 for the N.E. Bot. Club.
 & did some Shakespeare
 work. Engagements are
 coming to an end now.

I wrote a last letter
 to Rose to Washington.
 He sails Saturday.
 I had a good letter fr.
 him this morning.
 He was much pleased
 with the knife.

This evening Shakes-
 peare at Miss Yersan's.
 To-day I read over care-
 fully some miss Dr. Goodale
 sent to me in regard to the
 Blashka models. My paper

of 1894 is in it. He will print copies for distribution -

Saw Pheasant by road just
Ther ^{west of West} WED. MAY 5, 1915 Wea

Cloudy a little rain, mild
air fresh - 41° 59°
This morning I took
over to the Gr 14b.

Bought Rhodora (1914) for Club
25 sheets U.S. pls for Gr 14b.
80. " New Eng. pls " Club.
Found a beautiful stone. Took
him back to lunch -

This P.M. Geo. drove me
in his auto to Pudding Room
where I got some electrical
fixtures for use at the dra-
matic. Then he, with Mary
& I, took a ride about Belmont.

This late P.M. pleasant
call from Mrs. H. H. Bates.

This evening I wrote
a note for Rhodora
on the so-called Sagittaria
area for Wenham Lake.
Wrote again to Mr. Ceter.
Read a bit in a
novel Belle Donne!
Remarkable event for me!!

Called on Alexander Pope this
Thurs. THURS., MAY 6, 1915 Wea
P.M. Fine pictures & good talk

Clear with some clouds,
mild & pleasant, 51-69.

He is down with a
real sick head-ache and
she has been in bed all
day. It is hard luck.

I have written letters to
J. A. Rose to the steamer
"Tennison" sailing from New York
Sat. 4 to Bahia Brazil &
to Paul Russell who goes with
him, to Rebecca Rose, Dr.
J. S. Moore, 1386 E. 15th St. Cleveland, O
on his mother's death, E. L. R.

This A.M. I went to Ham Sq.
on errand & then to Boston.
Called at Holzer's, J. R. C. & Co. and
Sank. Holzer will rebind
fresh vols. of Bird-Lore & Tourneyer
for 1914. They tore off the covers.

Weather, breezy here.
At home P.M. Evening
writing etc. A small fire in
the Norton's cellar called up the
whole fire department !!!

Ther

FRI. MAY 7, 1915

Wea

Alt. sunny, P.M. cloudy, rain in evening, warm. 53, 74.

This morning I went to the Franklin garden and saw three *Myrtle Warblers* and a *Nashville Warbler*. The garden is beautiful and I took a specimen of *californica Viola papilionacea* Pursh, one of the hundreds of this sps that have for years overrun the place. The albinos are occasional.

Mother called - Weatherly came in, and spent a while with me over my Chas. R. mark plants.

The news has come of the sinking of the *Lusitania* by *torpedo*. Deliberate murder of hundreds of peaceful passengers - Americans too. Where, where is the card!!

Dinner with Emily & Mrs. Williams - Rand, Robinson & Dr. East there. This resolute cloud every time -

Bot Club at Gray Herb. The lighted U.S. every light was most imposing. B.L.R. *Tetradonta* border, an early exclamation in the *prop. lumen*. The was in the laboratory under the Club Herb.

Clear and sunny. 60, 74

This morning was much engaged in the terrible American loss in the Lusitania. Number estimated at 137. Whole number lost 1502. What is to be done. We are getting more & more into this world-wide war.

This afternoon Miss Brown & I went to 147 Huntington Ave. Boston to see Miss Lily Owen Smith singing in a musical. She invited us. Mrs. is getting a well but isn't going out yet. Miss Clavel played beautifully on the violin and Mrs. M. Parker accompanied Miss Smith. Home by 5.30 -

This evening 7.15 to 8.15 Mrs. E. F. Williams (Sullivan) to the Camb. Opera. "The Gondoliers". Very fine performance. The Tenor of St. Pauls (Dr. Walter Boyd) was in it. Mrs. W. May & I walked home together.

See page 10.

10 Ther

SUN. MAY 9, 1915

Wea

Sunny, breeze, warm A.M. cool
P.M. & evening - 58, 78.

This morning I went to Char.
R. marsh & Camb. Cemetery &
took 12 snags ($2\frac{1}{2} \times 4\frac{1}{4}$) & 5 snags
(4×5) over Char. River marsh.
Took 2 or 3 small snags of a
bed of *Potentilla pacifica* with
scattered *Taraxacum* off. *Agropyron*
(*spike*) *repens*, *Solidago sempervirens* &
Oenothera over it & close by.

Helped her with accts &
bills -

This P.M. buy some photos for
Shorey for Mrs. Rose - At 5.30
we walked up to the Wil-
liams to see the garden
which is very beautiful.

This evening I called on
Chas. & Mrs. Rautoul at the
McMillan. Mr. R. thinks we
must come to war! Heaven
forbid. I spent an hour
later phoning. Wrote letter
to Mrs. Rose

Ther

MON. MAY 10, 1915

Wea

Clear, crisp, light breeze. 47, 68.
It has been an ideal day.

This morning I went to Harv. Sq. & Harv. Trust on business with Mr. Thayer. Then I went to Solation Taylor's & left my 2 cameras & 2 rolls of film. Taken yesterday, 1 picture of the 485 roll was taken in Shelburne. It was a roll of 6. Miss Taylor will see if the cameras work. Home to lunch.

Comm. meeting (Rand & I, chairman) at the Museum, to meet the Soc. Department.

Present Robinson, Fernald, Casterbunt, Jeffrey, Thayer, Fairclaw. We discussed for 1 1/2 hrs. various topics.

Dr. Kennedy did not come, as he says, he cannot hear.

Interesting occasion.

Evening at home over some Wenham Lake photos from the Cities. Called by Dr. J. C. Phillips -

Clear, calm, glorious, cool. 54, 71.

This A.M. I went to the Cornell Arboretum and had a very interesting time with Prof Sargent, Chas. E. Faxon & Mr. Jack. I took 3 my *Catalpa* & *Betula* for the Arboretum and left 7 sheets of my mounted *Catalpa* with C. E. Faxon to study. I was shown over the bldg. & then C. E. F. & I walked over the Arboretum in I saw Cedar of Lebanon, Viburnum ^{in flower} ~~molle~~ (*V. Downii*), *Forsterella* in flower. *Litsea* in flower & Mr. Faxon left me at Forest Hills.

Elevated train to State St. & then I went to / R.C.'s, on D. - then I lunched at Thompson's - / R.C. joined me & I returned with him to his office. We had a talk, and then I returned home.

Evening at home. Note to W. C. Lane, W. L. McAtee, W. R. Maxon. Miss Abby Kirk who sent me fresh Urtica perfoliata.

A most interesting day -

Ther

WED. MAY 12, 1915

Wea

Clear & cloudy, cool. 57, 78.

Busy this morning
writing letters &c.

Wrote Wace re Harroo
(Marsilea marsipus) & the
ill-fated Burke expedition
across Australia 1860-61.

This P.M. to Harroo, mailed
Crataegus (1 sheet in fl.) to C.E.
Taylor & Harroo sheet to Wace.
Called at the Thaxters. Mrs
Thaxter fell at Huntington Ave
Sta. yesterday & had bad knock
over eye. Was taken home.
Nothing internal.

Met Prof. Lyon & went into his
home for a short time off. the
Thaxters. Saw his fine boy.
Called on Annie Morrison.
Ed has been very sick with
dysentery colic. Better now
but very, very weak.
Evening at home. Picking
up the threads. Good letter
for Charlie & Mrs. Love -

Ther THURS. MAY 13, 1915 Wea

The clear & warm, thunder storm
at noon for some time, cloudy
P.M., rather late & in the evening.
Evening much cooler, 52, 77.

This morning after a letter
read I walked over to Mr. Mathews
and saw him, Mrs. Genevieve & her
two sisters. Carroll is very sick &
the end is expected soon - It is
sad, but the boy will be at rest.

Then to St. Hb. verified some
plants & saw B. L. R. for some time
M. L. F. away at Woodstock

This P.M. I worked, getting
into the box McClintock's plants,
& some others sent in by J. H. Rose.

Yesterday I wrote for
Rhodora a note on two
of McClintock's plants that were
wrongly named & published
in Cuck -

This evening read & worked on
plants. Telephoned Mr. Mathews &
Thaxter. Carroll still linger-
ing. Thaxter improves, but hangs up.

Ther

FRI. MAY 14, 1915

Wen

Cloudy & clear, cool. 47, 59

This morning I wrote letters and then went to Bot. Garden. gave B.L.R. *Hydrocotyle rotundifolia* & *Veronica apertifolia*, & left some plants for him under. I went to museum & then car to Boston to Mr. Sprague. Pleasant call. Gave him blue print of N.H. We lunched together. Called on Howard Philbrick. Went then to J.R.C. - He was going to N. Adams to the meeting of those of the Club who were going to collect in Club Mts. Then home. Read, and wrote letters to Mr. Rose and George -

Mr. had her Club this evening and I went to Lucy's. Geo. & Mary were there and we had a pleasant dinner. I showed my photos from Washington - Saw his Club in return -

Clear, calm, mild. 46, 67.

An absolutely perfect day

Read & rested this morning
This P.M. walked along the west
side of Clear R. marsh and along
the Cemetery east edge. (Vegetation
starting). Dandelions abundant
in large patches over the marsh.
Lines of May Birch in fresh leaf.

At edge of Cemetery close to S.
end of my marsh, saw Starling 3
times enter hole 40 ft up in Blk Oak
and feed young. Saw another one
with bill full fly into the Cem-
etry. Saw two more together among
the oaks on slope. Heard none of
young from oak on slope but heard
nothing.

The marsh is green nearly through-
out. About $\frac{1}{4}$ way in fr. west, midway
between N. & S. among a dense growth
of *Juncus Gerardi* young I dug up a ball
of soil 7 in. diam. to find what salt it has.

For further notes on the
marsh see Journal.

Clear & cloudy, cool. 44, 53.

At home this A.M.

Finished Keller Donner.

My first novel for nearly
two years!!! Descriptions of
Egyptian life & scenery
very fine -

Then Phil worked on
local flora cards -

Then M. & I called on
The Deros & the Abbotts
and found all at home.
Very pleasant conversation

This evening I called
on the Putnam and saw
Prof. & Mrs. P. and the two
Daughter. Extremely
pleasant. Prof. Leisner's
skulls of 500,000 yrs ago
are really human skulls.
I heard him in Washington
on April 20. See Journ.

Prof. Putnam has been sick
and he likes to have me come
and tell the news -

Ther

MON. MAY 17, 1915

Wea

Cloudy & rainy & chilly. 44, 49.

This morning, to Harr. Sq.
Hair cut. &c. To City Hall
Talk over Water Meter
To Brewster's estate. Talk with
Mr. Darling over Water Meter.
He will get full particulars.
To T.R.C. we lunched to-
gether -

Then to 268 Newbury St,
Mrs. C. A. Robinson who talks
boards and called on
Mrs. Emily H. Perry who
is down here to visit her
oculist. We had a very nice
talk of an hour. She goes
to Dorset, Vt. for the summer,
and will collect for the Club
& get ferns for me -

Then to Mr. Spalding Sparker St
where I sat an hour - He had
much to show & talk about in
re his sister - Then dinner.
In the Club this evening. G. M. Allen
read extracts from English periodicals.

Clear & cloudy, cool - 42, 60.

This Am. I spent mainly writing letters. There are always so many.

This P.m. we went to the funeral of Carroll Matthews at the family home on Front St.

Then I went to Dorchester with J.R. Churchill whom I met at the funeral and took tea and spent the evening. We looked over his lot of plants coll'd last Sat. The 15 near Hobae Tunnell. They were an interesting lot and were still in press.

Anna has a canary that fly in at the window a year ago. It is its living in the evening and sleep it roosting to & fro the whole evening and when the cover is put over the cage for the night, it puts its head under its wing and yet all night it rocks rapidly as the living to & fro. I saw it roosting with head under wing at 10 P.m. before I left. Home at 11 P.m.

Clear, light breeze mild. 45°, 66°.
 This Am. to Harv Sq., Solatia Taylor
 & Holzer. I got my 2 cameras which
 are all right. No leak at all.
 The pictures all developed well
 I left the 18 films for prints. I
 left Charles 5 films 4 for prints &
 1 for enlargement. Small call next week
 in re Bird: Lore vide film
 p. 11.

This afternoon I went to the
 Stadium to the performance
 of The Trojan Women
 of Euripides - under the
 auspices of Dept. Classics &
 English of Harv. Grand Per-
 formance. Words of Gilbert
 Murray's Trans. Hecuba =
 Lillie McCarthy; Andromache =
 Edith W. Mathison; Cassandra =
 Crystal Herne; Helen =
 Gladys Hanson, &c. - I enjoyed
 every bit of it. The Chorus was
 of women and remarkably done.
 5-7 P.M. Every at home -

Ther THURS. MAY 20, 1915 Wea

Clear calm, cool, 48, 69.

This morning went to the
Gray Hb. M.S.L. in Providence.
Saw E. L. R. O. All ready for
Sat., the great reception.
Then walked over to San-
cra men to St. I saw the
house covered with Histaria.
A single plant covers the front
& stones roof & turret with
a solid mass of flowers, and
one side and an apple
tree closely -

Then called on the Matthews.
Saw Mrs. Mrs. Genevieve Matthews
& Mr. Hubbard. Yesterday Carroll was
buried in Campden in the family
lot. The boy is at rest.
Walked back to lunch.

This P.M. busy with Local H.
Card and letters - This evening
letters - wrote no 4 to
J. H. Koe - wrote the letter
in re Potamogeton pusillus
& P. foliosus - ^{This H. M. wrote}
^{in our H. M. Comm}
^{report} ~~cast~~ ^{cast} 2 avens of Shaker house

Ther

FRI. MAY 21, 1915

Wea

Cloudy with some rain, mild. 51, 59

Miss Eliza Houghton was killed
by an auto. last evening in
Harv. Sq. 70. Terrible.

This A.M. I. asked to Ham-
Sy. then to R. Chaplin to see
his fine flowering Apple tree.
He has white & lavender Vib-
urnum & red Dogwood. Fine Shad-
low. Rand's house is covered with
vines & the garden is beautiful.
Then to Mr. H. M. L. F. helped
me a bit on a few plants,
walked back with M. L. F.

This P.M. some bot. work
& writing.

Miss Hammond came to
dinner & I showed her my
Hb. this evening. wrote
letters.

Mr. Rose sent me Walter
Dunn's picture, a film which
I shall have a good
enlargement of.

I have Bird-Lore for 1914 complete.

Called this Sat. m. in June -
73 yrs. old -

Ther SAT. MAY 22, 1915 Wea

Cloudy & sunny. The pleasant
some rain in P.M. warm. 51, 80.

This morning I went to
Solatia Taylor & got my photo
of the Cactus enlargement. Fine
I shall keep it for Rose later.
Then to Mr. Dackin's - Satisfactory.

We shall have water meters & we
can connect the two cellars.

This P.M. was the reception
at the Gray Herbarium. 4-6.

The flowers were beautiful & were
everywhere. Mrs. Kidder, step-mother of
W. T. Kidder, presided in the library
portion of the Kidder Wing. Mrs. Farlow
served refreshment in the library. Mrs.
Kutnam, sister of Pres. Lowell,
served in the Laboratory.
Several hundred guests present.
I went & enjoyed it much.
I talked with lots of
people & showed them round.
Pretty tired this evening.
Left with Solatia Taylor the film
of Walter Deane for enlargement.

Ther

SUN. MAY 23, 1915

Wea

Clear & cloudy, mild. 62, 69.

A very fine lovely day.

At home this morning
writing & reading -

This afternoon we went
to the funeral at Christ Church
of Miss Elizabeth Houghton,
killed Thursday evening in Har-
vard Square by an automobile.
Church crowded. Ladies
standing. Why should there
be terrible things be!

Then I called at Lucy's
and saw her & May.

George called here
later and I laid to
tea and spent the
evening.

I have written to
Rebecca Rose and
Mrs. R. H. True -

Busy day to-morrow
with Mr. H., Dentist
& Channing, wedding.
Events will stop soon

C. C. 2, 4 clear, mild. 51 69.

This morning to Dr. H. H.
M. H. F. went over with me
our Local Fl. manuscript.

Then I returned home
and after a hurried lunch
went to Dr. Briggs for $\frac{1}{2}$ hr.

Then home and had to
wait to Elizabeth
Channings' wedding at
The house. The groom
is Willard Fuller. It was
a lovely affair, the floral
decorations being very
beautiful, and the guests
all very bright. There
were about 50 people
present, relations and
intimate friends.

Mr. Sam Henshaw
came to dinner and
spent the evening.
We had a good long
talk over the manuscript
and many subjects.

Clear, bracing - 57, 65

This A.M. I was at home. I finished my Report of the Comm. to visit the Dept of Botany & sent it to Ned Land. Was busy about various things.

Harold St. John came to lunch & then we went to the Marsh and he took samples of the soil at various depths with a peat sampler. See page 12

I left him there & went to Dr. Hampton at H. 15, then home.

Hippindon Cabot came to dinner and we spent the evening. He had a very interesting talk on many subjects. Hippindon has an auto. and he gets lots of enjoyment & service out of it. Wrote letter yesterday from C. A. Davis in re peat samples. Letter for Miss Audubon to-day.

Rainy day, chilly, clearing & cold
in the evening - 52, 65.

This morning I went
to the New Sup. Ct. in
Boston and arranged to have
the phone cut out in June 8,
I dissolve the contract &
renew it in the fall -

Then I called on and
touched with J. R. C. and
then returned home.

M. & I dined with Hollie
& Cecil Davis. Prof. Thomas & his
children were the other guests,
we went early to see the
present they had bought as my
wedding present, a silver service
and a covered vegetable dish that
can be used as two dishes.

They were very handsome.
The silver was marked W. M. L.
a dish & cover M. W. D.
Will & Prof. Hollie are very
carefully & scholarly & will be
in home by 10 o'clock.

Ther THURS. MAY 27, 1915 Wea

Clear, cold, brilliant. 39, 65

This morning I took a box
of my *Chalcid* plcs of 1911-14
to Dr. H. D. R. assigned to me
Case N B 81 in Dr. R. Brown's
box with S. C. R. & Dr. F. F.
Wealthily came back with me
to Canada. He returned immediately.

This afternoon I took over
the *Chalcid* plcs. of *Chalcid*
and *Chalcid* & put them into the
box. They will stay till
fall. These I move with
specimens from for *Chalcid*.
Take the rest of June.

Leave the rest of June
(700) to send to Dr. R. H.
Nancy all *Chalcid* for ex-
amination. In R. F. the
they should be examined
very carefully.

Am finally getting
ready to go to *Chalcid*.
June 10 - nine flies all
too fast.

Ther

FRI. MAY 28, 1915

Wea

Clear, mild, windy 50, 72.

I am beginning to get ready for my departure for Shelburne June 8.

This morning, I went to Harv. Sq. and then ran by Berkeley St. home. I looked at some fine Cypropteris puberula in Mrs. Bowles' garden. She hasn't asked me for the square at 50.

Geo. would be true to the funeral of Quincy Rand at the Jamaica Plain house. It was very sad. We saw Henry

who is so brave throughout.

Then we climbed ^{by way of} to Boston & I went to the Arnold Arboretum & called on Charles J. Fox. We went over some of my Shelburne *Catalpa*. I returned by electric.

Evening at home busy writing. ~~ten~~

Clear & cloudy cool 48, 59

This morning I worked
some at home & then went
to Boston to get the en-
largement of Walter Deane's
picture, as Solista Taylor
said will make another
for me. Then I went to
the Metro Park Comm. &
copied some paragraphs in
the Ches. Water Basin Comm.
rept. relating to the closing
of the dam. I shall also
get recent record of the
character of the water.
Then I called on & dined
with Mr. Sprague who is
a very cordial. Home
by 2 P.M.

Wrote Mr. Gore, sending
her the enlargement.
Corrected galley of my 1894 article
on the Great Herd for G. R. S.'s
new guide.
In. & I took tea with Mary & George.

Clear, calm cool. 43, 67,
a very perfect day but
quite cold for the heat on
the other. pruned the hor-
seman notices he has 2.
Collected things in field
burne -

Called on Dr. Goodale with
glass under 1276 -

This Morn. (Sat) went
to corner Buckley Lane & Lincoln
St. to see the place of the
Laburnum vulgare in perfect
the on him. It is there in
the R.C. house at 3.30 P

we walked back at 4.30
Mars. H. till 4.42 10 P.M.
with my terbarium -

Talked on the phone
this Morn with Paul Green
I was told Sup. T. & T. in a
my response. I shall call
on him Tuesday P.M.
Shall I go to the College
June 4 or to Siegfried!!

Decoration Day -
Ther MON. MAY 31, 1915 Wea

Clear very cool. 47, 70.
Astonishing weather.

Two years ago to-day, Dr. Colvix
took cold as he waved to the
procession from the porch.
We walked to Walter St. &
saw the procession move by.

Then I called on the Putnam
& Prof Putnam came back &
sat some time in my back.
He was very enthusiastic.
Later C. F. B. called to see a
few plants & we made -
I walked with him to the
Laboratory on Carnegie St. It is
in absolute perfection.

This P.M. I was busy putting
things together for Shelburne
did some repinning on my
Bolizcheim of 123 sheets.
This evening wrote to me in
Sympyria to her.

Stephen Thallus called to
say that he is here as wanted
is not to be here on Sunday!

Ther

TUES. JUNE 1, 1915

Wea

Clear, warm 51, 78,
an ideal day.

This Am. to Harv. Sq.
then to 70 Oliver St. where
I sat & had a good talk
with Carl Seidof. (See new
ing. int. & an old paper).
He arranged my affairs &
we reviewed old times & new.
Then to 8 Winter St. & to
J.R.C. We lunched
together. Then to
Dr. B. Berkeley St. &
then to Harv. Sq. Got
env. for Babespeak Club
& then home.

Very full dinner.
Harry Rand came out
to dinner and stayed
till about 8.30. He
is very brave indeed,
and seems to fondle
us - We talked much.
Then I called on S. & R.
& got Local Fl. proofs

Ther WED. JUNE 2, 1915 Wea

Clear cold 45 51

This morning I took
Miss Anderson, the envelope
to direct in the Shakespeare
Club during the summer
I brought back many
plants from Washington.

At noon Mr. Hannaford
fr. Washington came out.
He had phoned yesterday
He stayed to dinner & then
I took him over the entire
College from the museum
to the Memorial Hall. Then
to the new College grounds
and then to the stadium.
We walked up fr. Anderson
Bride to the hotel & home
Mr. Hannaford stayed to
supper & went at 8, when
Mrs. Hannaford came & spent
the evening over estate
matters. He will tell
later some more -
We enjoyed Mr. Hannaford much.

Clear. cold - 45, 55

Busy to-day at work
This Morn. to Stearns
where I returned 2 tickets
to Springfield. Too cold to go.

Then I got the enlargement
of Walter Deane's photo at
Solomon Taylor's. Home
looked in for my fall
lunch. Then Dr. B. & I
we walked to Gray Hl.
I looked up some
matters connected with
my local flora prof.

Returned home and
some called on Mill
Davis (mostly out). Then
on Mrs. Winthrop (by W. out),
and on the Chapmans.
Saw Jennie - Home

This evening Mr. & I
called on Dr. Thur Robinson
and had a good talk
Lana Kelsey about their
Mr. Thur B. went to health to-day
& called on the Channings.

Ther

FRI. JUNE 4, 1915

Wea

Clear & Cloudy, mild 48, 61

This morning I went
to Boston & got tickets
& seats for Shelburne for
June 9. Called first on
Mrs. Wm. W. Swallow to say.

May & Geo. came to
lunch and sort of me
tween with us -

I dined as usual
with Emily & Mrs. Wm. at
6 P.M. Present Robinson
Fernald, Lambert, Margaret,
& a girl friend of hers & I.

Bright & jolly time,

When Mr. B. & C. Clark
had. Rand was absent
(Sick), first time
since the founding of
the Club -

I exhibited a number of
Botrychium showing
the sp. from New
England. Other exhibits
are made -

Wea

SAT. JUNE 5, 1915

Ther

Clear, cool. 51. 64.

A busy day mostly at
home waiting getting
ready to go.

Like Peter. M. & I called
on Dr. & Mrs. Tuttle at
Waverley. Mrs. T. was out, but
we had a very nice talk
with Dr. Tuttle.

Returning, I called on
the Channings & on Mr.
Spalding.

Mrs. McWilliam, Ellen,
Andrew, John & S. & S. & S. & S.
came to tea. They
spent part of the
evening.

Charles Batchelder
called this evening
& I looked over a
few plants for him.
Many original specimens
as to I suppose of last
evening depending on the
position of the leaves.

Ther

SUN. JUNE 6, 1915

Wea

Rainy day, mild 51, 59.

Worked this morning
at home.

At noon Stephen Thacher
& I went over to
Milton and dined with
him, Mayers & their

tenant. We had a
very pleasant time
indeed and after dinner
we had a good talk.

No motor out of course
Mr. Thacher & I also
made a call on Mr. &
Mrs. Marshall, and had
a good talk with them.

We left the Rachel
Mead House at about
10 min. of 5 and reached
home by 6:10.

This evening I wrote
and called on May
Dexter, good talk
over many things.
Our departure is near.

Sent Braided Allie's brooch
Ther MON. JUNE 7, 1915 Wea

Cloudy cool. 53, 62.

Provy today. I'm sick.
This Morn, changed pair of
seats to Portland. Me to
Friday next, instead of Wood
Hain cut in Haverly, etc.

This Morn next we
Went to the camp of
of Jane & Lita Campbell
(5-7). Cloud, air damp
but not raining.

This evening Left
Wentall Club - 12 present.
Tale on migration
with Brewster was their
first time for a long
while -

Wentworth Scudder called
this evening when I was
absent. He said Mr.
He has had a legacy from
an aunt. He bought Anglin
& Mr. July 1 for a life lease
Tom's rights also has
red of it. He is fairly well

Ther

TUES. JUNE 8, 1915

Wea

Cloudy, warm, clearing 53, 71.
Another poor sleep - Hard luck.

This morning Mr. Matthews
called with his water color
of brorets for me to see
in criticism. They are for
Brauer & are beautiful.
There were a few criticisms.

After lunch I went down
to the Harvard Trust and
met Carl & the trunk & ar-
ranged things with him. Some
we have two trunks & two
deposit boxes.

Then I went to the New
Camp Lock & saw Mr. Harbison
collecting for him - I saw
the Dodo, a fair one -

Then walked home and
met Robinson's man who closed
the doors of my cabinets.

Then to Dr. H. in Boston.

This evening quiet at home
May Dexter called and
gave us the news -

Clear calm, mild. 59, 70.

Sad night -

St. John came along the
and studied my Volante Com
for some 2 hours -

At 10:15 I went down
to Prof. Robt. Williams and he
lent me Ball's Popular Guide
to the Heavens for Shelburne
this Summer. He proposed it.

(His Plan.) was busy
with one thing & another.

Emily & Will Davis called.

I afterwards called on
Winthrop Seudder and
wife and had a real
good talk with them.
They have a nice, com-
fortable home -

After supper I had a
talk with Horace Gould,
a lad of 12 & nephew of Miss
Brown. Nice boy -

Then called on Mary
1920 & said good-bye.

Clear mild. ~~44-5~~

Very poor night & indeed
from lack of sleep,
at home till 4 P.M.

finishing up the
many last things.

All is ready for my
departure tomorrow.
This P.M. I called
on Dr. H. who has
prescribed for me.

Pretty well this evening.
Stephen Thacher &
Miss Anne called this
evening to say good-bye.

Called on the McKillens
& said good-bye -
Herman took in 7 trunks
to North Sta. This P.M.

Wrote some letters
to-day - talked over phone
to C. F. B., Mr. Drew, S. S.

Remedy, and J. R. C.
All wishes a happy summer
vacation, writes J. Malone, N.Y.

Wed. 29

Ther

FRI. JUNE 11, 1915

Wea

47 - 65

Cloudy, some rain. 44 - 55

This morning I got my plants for Shelburne out and put them into boxes, &c

After lunch Mrs. McWilliam took me over to the Gray Bld. where I graded the force and got my 4 boxes of Shelburne plants of 1914 left in June for me to see, & the Shakespeare envelopes & we took them home. It was a great help.

I also called on R. L. Robinson & left my March paper.

This afternoon various calls came, Lucy Mary, George &c. This evening Clara Howe, Emily Chapman, Steven Thacher - I had a phone talk with Tom Tucker & Mrs. Kettell in re notice of Charles's death & life for report. J. R. C. & Dr. Kennedy.

I wrote Mrs. Farnham & Miss Agnes P. Lowell

Ther

SAT. JUNE 12, 1915

Wea

We went to
Shelburne NH
on June 11

Returned

Oct. 27

Clear calm, cool. 55, 44 ^{1/2}

I spent this morning writing, getting things a bit straight and seeing May Dexter, Edith Rantoul, and Fannie Chapman & Mrs. McKillan.

At 12.45 Mrs. McKillan drove me to Boston, corner Park & Tremont, and I went over to T. R. Churchill. He happened to be so busy ~~that~~ I waited over an hour and a quarter and then left & lunched alone & home.

M. & I called before tea on Emile, Mrs. McKillan & Margaret. All very cordial. Emile has had a hard time with his thumb, having cut the tendons with an axe on Labor Day. He is coming out all right.

This evening I went over to bed Randi and spent a couple of hours talking over his matters with him.

Ther

FRI. OCT. 29, 1915

Wea

For record see
June 11
entry made there
by mistake.

Ther

SAT. OCT. 30, 1915

Wea

Clear, sunny. 49, 58.

This morning I took to the Mus. C. Z., my Shelburne insects & bat. Mr. Henshaw was pleased and we discussed them. Mr. Allen was much interested in the bat. It's the common Myotis Lucifugus over eastern North America. I saw Barbour -

Then I called on Charlie Batchelder & saw him, Mrs. B. Francis & Loren. Home to lunch. P. M. Worked at home.

Charlie Batchelder came up and I went over & made grasses with him, mainly Echinochloa Crispall

Called with him at Mary's & the Chapmans, all out. Called on Mr. Cole - out.

This evening, Henry & a little friend came round marked & with pumpkin lanterns. We took them in & had a bright time

Clear sunny, cool 44-57

Thurs. A.M. & P.M.

spent at home on
plants, Shakerpeare,
letter. etc.

Mrs. Margaret Theobald called
& invited me to go over to
Milton with Stephen T. on
Tues. to inspect her school
& lunch.

At 5 P.M. I called on
her & sat with her as
usual.

Then last I walked down
to Mollie & Will Davis &
had a very pleasant
tea and talk in the
evening afterwards.

I finished reading
today Merriam's "The
Cultures", to me an
unsatisfactory book.

I enjoyed the descriptions
of Warsaw and the
neighboring country.

44.72

Clear, cloudy in P.M. mild.

I worked at home today over the many things that turn up.

I labelled a box of my Shelburne plants -

This afternoon I walked to Harr. Sq. did some errands and went in to Dr. Briggs for a while. Home to dinner.

Mutual Club this evening - 10 members. Townsend presided - no paper. Each member related his summer experiences and we had a number of very interesting talks -

Election to-morrow. Of pleasant Mr. Stephen Thacher & I go over to Milton to visit Miss Thacher's school & to lunch with her at Mrs. Mayerson's.

Ther TUES. NOV. 2, 1915 Wea

49, 67.

Clear, cool, a little rain flurry
Election Day.

S. Thacher & I voted at 10.30

Then went over to Milton

Academy and met Miss

Margaret Thacher & visited

the school, met Miss Trueman,

Sadie Goodwin, Miss Eckfeld,

Mr. Lane, Dr. & others. Most

interesting. Then to Miss Mar-

gersain by auto, where we lunched

Then we five took a walk through

the Russell place. The woods

were beautiful. Then we called

on Mr. & Mrs. Marshall & had tea

& a good talk & took lots of

chrysanthemums from the garden

Then home by 6 P.M.

Shakespeare Club (11th one)

this evening - 34 members!!

Bright time - 8 1/2 light I & II.

M. has had X rays on her

face and they are finding

out the trouble there. May

it all be cured soon!!

Ther

WED. NOV. 3, 1915

Wea

Cloudy & clear & rain 40, 50.

I walked to Harvard Sq this morning and did errands.

The rest of the morning & P.M. I was at home on Shakespeare work. &c. &c.

I met A. W. Rantoul at 6 P.M. at the Harvard Club on his invitation. We dined and I met a number of the old boys that I taught, Geo. L. Deblois, Geo. ^{A.} Hopkins. George Putnam. We had a very interesting talk by Benj. Rand on England, especially London, during the summer of 1914 & 1915. He has been in London every summer for 2 yrs. on philosophical work & he has very much to tell the way from that standpoint - He discussed the attitude of the people, the drilling, the Zeppelin precautions, the life &c. &c. It was very instructive - He had put up many English posters in the hall calling for enlistments &c. Home by 10.30

Cloudy, chilly. 39, 44

This morning I worked on a sketch of Charles Kettell for our Class Report.

Then I went to J. R. C. & sat with him and lunched with him and talked over a Council for 1916 for our Soc. Club. I am Chairman of the Comm. to report. J. R. C. at St. John.

On my return, Mr. & Mrs. Brown were just returning from Dr. Briggs. Mr. has had 4 days of her teeth alocated & as a result Dr. B. this P.M. extracted 2 teeth, one with gas, one without - terrific. She went through it finely.

This evening I sat with Mr. & I worked a little on the sketch, (we have decided not to have the Thanksgiving Dinner. Mr. cannot go to N. Y. is a pity)

Ther

FRI. NOV. 5, 1915

Wea

A rainy day, cool, 40, 48

This morning I was
busy at home.

At 1.30 I lunched at
Mrs. Hammon's to meet
Dr. Dicmar & Dr. Thurston &
Gannett. Dr. Gannett is the son
of Ezra S. Gannett & is 75 years old.
We had a very pleasant time
& I had a long talk with Dr. Gannett.
He had an album of old photos among
them one of Grandfather Notch. I
wrote Maggie & Emma & was
in feeling yesterday, & after our
Mrs. Brown went.

I dined at 6 with Emily & Mrs.
Williams. Present Mary & William
Wetland, B.L.B. & M.L.F. A very
bright time as usual.

Then to the B. & O. Club my first
meeting this fall. Cordial greetings
with the members. Riddle who was
to speak couldn't come on acct of
train accident that delayed his train.
Some very experienced wage earners
I talked. Home by 11.30 -

Ther

SAT. NOV. 6, 1915

Wea

Clear, cool, calm, 36, 49.

This morning I went over to the Gray House, first stopping at Lesons, the Shakespeare books with Mrs. Wheeler. I saw the force and got some information on various points. I walked back with Dr. Johnson, taking Mrs. Terry's place of Dr. J. J. Johnson. After noon I went to Oakley and met May Ketter and we walked over the grounds, saw a beautiful sunset and then walked home, 2 1/2 m.

This evening I have done some work on my literary paper. I wish it were over. George called & we talked a good while.

We have just had news from Margaret Garis that Lilie's boy George has just been killed in Belgium. Terrible! He comes home to me!

Ther

SUN. NOV. 7, 1915

Wea

Clear, calm, cool - 33, 53

This morning, B. L. R. & I
went to the Gray Herk. and
looked up some Salt Marsh
references. I saw Smiley &
MacBride there. We re-
turned to dinner.

This afternoon I wrote to
Margaret Eving in regard to
George Killed in Belgium
and worked a little on
my, Marsh Paper -

Lucy, Lucy, Mary, George, Harry
Rand & Loring Briggs all
called at very nearly the
same time - Harry brought
an enlarged picture of Lucy
& Margie - M. is slowly
picking up I think.

At tea I had a phone call
from Mrs. Putnam who is, at
her home. I went right
down after tea and sat with
her some time. I pity her.
She hopes to leave the home in spring

Ther

MON. NOV. 8, 1915

Wea

Clear, cool, 38, 54°

This morning I went down to the Harv. Trust Co. and sent up the 2 trucks, went over to the Post Office there, sat with Mr. Tilton at the Canbft. Savings Bank, & walked home.

This afternoon after doing some work here, Mrs. Buchanan took me to drive some way beyond Prospect Hill, Uxbridge. It was very refreshing.

This evening I went over & called on Mr. & Mrs. & Lucy, David & Miss Garrod. The ladies were just going out I sat with Mr. David & we had a good long talk.

On the day both Saturn was very visible in Gemini. It will be prominent through the winter - I am slowly finishing Charlie Kettell's sketch.

Ther

TUES. NOV. 9, 1915

Wea

Clear, mild breeze, 41, 52.

This morning I walked with my Mellicham son to the Widener Library and we were taken over it by Mr. Winship. I also called up on Mr. Lane. It is a wonderful building in every respect. We saw the central room with the Widener Library, the Treasure Room, Stacks, Reading Room &c. Then I went to the post office and I was taken over the entire working part throughout by Mr. Barry who was very polite. Then I walked home, tired.

This afternoon I practically finished my sketch of Charlie Kettell for my Class Report & I rest.

This evening I have some many things, printing, completing my Jerry's plants &c

Clear, breezy, bracing. 41, 52.
 Busy this Morn. at home
 At noon went to Post Office
 I met T. S. R. at Harston's.
 Discussed the troubles that
 will come up. Then we went
 over to H. M. S. and he & I
 went to the Post Office & mailed off
 some matter to E. C. C.

Then I came home -
 This evening I went in
 to The Amer. Acad. as guest
 of Mildred. We heard R. M.
 Yerkes on 'Ideation of Humble
 and Slugs'. The lecture was il-
 lustrated by views and was well
 attended. It is interesting to
 see the kind of experiments
 that are made to test the thinking
 & reasoning powers of these animals.
 I met many friends.

Hill & I staid a while after,
 and had refreshments & social talk.
 Then we walked out as far as
 Central Square! I was pretty tired.

Ther THURS. NOV. 11, 1915 Wea

Clear cool a little rain in evening. Calm, 39, 55.

This morning I auto'd with Charlie, Mrs. Francis Bate & we over to Dr. Kennedy's. Charlie & I made a short call on Dr. R. & Miss Ingalls. We returned through Salina where I found Mary Rogers at lunch.

This afternoon I rested just the last touches to my house paper and labelled a few plants.

This evening I called on Mr. Robinson who has taken my paper & it will be put into gallery right off.

I took some Chrysanthemums to Dr. Robinson from us both for his birthday last Monday. 57 yrs. old. We had a good talk. Harry Spelman called later on Dr. R. and I came home.

Ther

FRI. NOV. 12, 1915

Wea

Cloudy, mild, a little rain in
A.M., rain in evening

This morning I labelled
some plants. Then went out
to Canton Junction & was met
by Mary, Rob & Mrs. Rogers. I
took dinner with them and spent
a pleasant time afterwards,
and then we took the auto &
went to Milton & round Blue
Hill by Hillside St. to by the
Blue Hill Parkway to Matta-
pan and on to Forest Hills
where I took the car home.

I met E. F. Willig at Summer St.
Charles Rollin Larrabee came
to dinner. He is one of Rollin
Larrabee's sons, a nice boy, a
freshman here. He hurried
off after dinner to a meeting.
A little later C. G. Weatherby
called and we had a good
talk & examination of some
plants & R. W. Woodward sent
me to-day Euph. Gyps in fruit (W. Haven
Conn.)

Ther SAT. NOV. 13, 1915 Wea

Clear calm cool, 42-58

This morning I met May
Dexter in town. We lunched at
Shepard & Howells and then went by
Electric to Muttapam, hired a car
& took an auto to Blue Hill. Walked up
to the Observatory & got there at 2.15.
Met Prof. Alex G. Mellicie, Mr. E. Wiggles-
worth, Mr. Wells, and Mr. Smeaton. Dr.
Stokes, Dr. Cheever, etc. We passed a pleasant
hour in the tower, viewing over the bog
Hills, instruments, charts of all kind etc.
Then walked to foot of hill. Dr. Cheever
planned to have a car who came up in his
car from Muttapam and we all drove
in their house near the Square. Austin
Beebe told me of his illness & recovery after
the fight. Now he is studying there some
more. We went into the house
a little while and then Mrs. Cheever
took Dr. C. C. Cheever's place & we four
drove over home. He was too kind.
The drive with the lights about us was fine.
Got home about 6 P.M.
Read & read to M. this evening.

Ther

SUN. NOV. 14, 1915

Wea

Clear, sun, clearing, a little
rain in evening mild. 38, 51

I have practically finished
my sketch of Charlie Kettell.
I do hope it will be accep-
table.

At 11 AM I went over to J.R.
C's getting there by 12 M.
I spent the P.M. till 8.45
P.M. with being going over his
plants. He has many - I
saw Mrs. Churchill & Anna and
later Winslow came. I re-
turned home when the
music began for J.R.C.
plays the flute they
then Cushing, piano, Dr. Peters
cells, J.R.C. flute and
some medical student &
the violin. It is very
attractive indeed.

We worked to-day entirely
on Carex specimens from
Canada, n. Vermont. and some
from eastern Mass.

Colonay, rain, very clear. 36, 41

This morning I drove with
Miss Brown to Hawk Sp. & then
walked to the Gr. Hl., calling at
Mrs. Wheeler's on the way (Shakespeare).
I met her, W. L. Mullett and took
them home to lunch. He returned
some after.

Later I called at the two
Spruce St. houses. Out at 80,
in at 76 + more.

I spent some time today copying
my sketch.

This evening I attended a
Mett. Council meeting, and
Lester Cluderund gave the
Bible a talk on Fishermen's
Luck with beautiful views.
Mullett was there. The
evening was a pleasant one.

Returning the half moon
with Jupiter close by made
a glorious sight in the bril-
liant sky with the clear
drifting clouds passing by.

Clear, calm, cool 36, 46.

This morning after some work at home, I went to Boston to A.C. Sprague's. Then I called at The Bellevue where Miss Elsie Locke an invalid, whom I haven't seen for yrs. Tom & Mrs. R.H. Ware there. Miss Locke is an example of fortitude & trust. She was a friend of Gerard Watson long ago.

Then to Mr. Sprague again. We went to Judge Churchill's where I left a note & then we lunched at Wentworth's. Good long talk.

Then I went to the Red Gate House (3 Rm) and heard Winthrop Scudder read a paper of the late Judge Fowell & one by Ernest Cleeve Wallcut on Gardner & Mrs. Greene & them & the Pemberton Sq. Estate. It was before the Bostonian Society. Pictures of the estate were about.

Shakespeare Club this evening (Wm Langh) - May Dexter went with me. XIth light, Cret. III-IV-V.

Clear calm cool. 34, 42

This morning I worked on my Shakespeare records & notices and then I went to Boston to J.R. Churchill on business. We had a long talk and and we lunched together. I returned in the afternoon and I have made my final copy of my sketch of Charlie Ketchell.

Mary called and I talked some time with her.

This evening I went to the 11th Ue being, at the Thayer's. Ten were present. Ned Rand came after dinner. Will Brewster was absent. The cards were sea weed mounted (*Ptilota serrata*) He had a bright good time, in spite of war talk.

Ther THURS. NOV. 18, 1915 Wea

Clear cool - 29, 49.

At home all day -

Worked on pamphlets and
books and serials etc.

I have sent off my sketch
of Charlie Kettell to Mrs
Kettell and I do hope she
will approve of it. Had a
talk with Tom Tucker on the
phone, about it.

This afternoon Rollin Lausbee
called before dinner, the Peter
came about 4.30 and staid
till 10.15. We had a long
talk and we looked over
many things in my verbarium.
The Peter is doing interesting
work in Washington over the
food of wild birds, ducks,
other things. It requires iden-
tification from small mate-
rial.

Rollin was entertained by
M. as I had made this
appointment. Both were at dinner.

Cloudy with heavy rain 37.58

muggy, clearing, in evening this

I have been at home, ~~to day~~ ^{to day & evening}, working on various

things. A telephone from Mrs. Kettell was most satisfactory. She couldn't have expressed more satisfaction and she dwelt long on the last paragraph.

I was so much pleased.

Prof. Hitchcock came to see us the latter part of the afternoon and he stayed till after 10 P.M. We went over my ornamental grasses which I had laid out this morning and settled all but two or three - Hitchcock is a pleasant fellow and we had a good talk over the Washington botanists.

This the I called on Mrs. Perry in Boston for an hour or so

Ther

SAT. NOV. 20, 1915

Wea

Clear cool, some cloud, 44, 53

This morning I went
over to the Gray Herb. and saw
McClure, Hitchcock and the force.
I staid some time & looked
at Linaria canadensis odd form
of a Miss Wagerman. Said
goodbye to Washington man.

This afternoon I went
to Boston, met Alice Wetmore
at Park St. and we went to
Fort Hall and heard H.K. Job
give a spirited talk with
moving pictures on Bird
Life. They were very fine
and I never saw such
pictures of bird life - I saw
Alice on her car & came home.

This evening Dr. Robinson
called with my hands paper
gallery and we went over it
making a few changes. The
Dr. is much pleased with it
and that pleases me.

Harvard 41 - Yale 0.

Ther

SUN. NOV. 21, 1915

Wea

Clear, with some clouds and a
little rain, evening clear, cool, 42, 50

This morning and most of
this evening I spent on the
galley proof of my article.
I am nearly through.

But I called on Mrs. Dexter
Friday at 1 P.M. & congratulated
her on her birthday (44).
We gave her books.

Then we went to the Brewster's
& dined with Niggie Scrimous
Will & Ellice Allen.

After dinner we had
music (graphophone). Dick
Brown called & Will, he & I
went to the museum. After
a while Dick left and Will
& I talked till tea time.
I doubtless heard a night
Heron at Shelburne. The
young Red Tail was without
doubt an escaped tame hawk.
Mr. Robinson called
this evening.

Clear, cool - 36 - 47.

This morning I finished my waste paper gallery, and went to Harvard Trust and then walked to Haw. Sq.

Hair cut and walked to Gray Herbs where I went over my paper with B.L.R. I shall see page proof soon and then all is done!! B.L.R. & I walked back together.

This P.M. Ellen McMillan called. Later I went to the come-out of the first Thayer camp. of Wm R. Thayer. I lay at the Camb. Boat. Club. It was a big affair & I met very many people. Returned to dinner -

This evening Ned Rand called for a while -

Then I worked on the Grasses Hitchcock went over last Friday, making labels. P. I want to finish all labels.

Came for only, chilly 34, 44

This morning, afternoon & evening I put my spare time into labelling plants

This morning I rode with George through Bathurst & East Lexington, Maine. We visited in Burlington center the statue of an Indian, very fine.

This afternoon I went to Dr. Charles Peabody's to a memorial meeting in honor of Prof. J. W. Putnam. Speakers were Dr. Peabody & Dr. Blake of Boston & a lady read a paper on Prof. Putnam's early connection with the Boston Branch of the Amer. Folk-Lore Soc. It was all very well done indeed -

Harry R. D. came to dinner and he spent the evening. He is very brave under his sad, sad loss. He is at present alone at home -

Ther WED. NOV. 24, 1915 Wea

Sunshiny, light, ground was a little wet
clouds at some rain. 34, 39

I have labelled plants
a good deal today, and
and now in Solidago!
That looks like something.

This morning, I walked
to H. W. Sq. and went to
the Gray Herb. Circle on
M. Cameron in regard
to a Stellaria sent
by Mrs. S. M. S. Berries only
from 2 miles S. of St. Louis, Mo.
Walked back with B. H.

This M. I called at the
McWilliam's. Mrs. McW.
will have a large dinner
party tomorrow.

This evening, M. & I
shall be making Xmas
gifts. We shall be as
simple as possible, but it
is an undertaking anyway.
The war days are, but
we are in a very critical
period in the world's history.

Ther THURS. NOV. 25, 1915 Wea
(2.5" 7 A.M. breeze)

W. calm, cool 32, 43
Cold on the McWilliam's this
morning. Wrote to Miss
Maria R. Audubon - wrote labels
this morning, afternoon I am
nearly through Cister and
shall finish soon -

This P.M. May Dexter & I took
a walk up Lexington Ave
& back. Saw the interesting
collection of cottages where
Laura (Greenough) Tappan lived.
Dexter & I called at the
Spauldings and saw him &
wife, Roger & wife & 3 dear
children all fine boys -
At 7 M. I went to
Lucy's for Thanksgiving dinner.
There were Lucy, May, Mary,
George, Mr. McClellan, M. & I.
Very pleasant time.
Killed 16 lb Turkey with
most excellent dressing & the
most pleasant evening - For Love of Mary
Allen read - Home tired.

clear cool, 32, 46.

I have worked to-day
on the labelling and
have finished the
Shelburne plants!
1260 labels!! Good.
Now I shall check off
the s.p.s. and then lay
out the set for Washington.

This morning I went in
and lunched with J. V. L.
Then called on Arthur & Emily
Williams in the piazza chair.
Then to Mrs. White's on Brom-
field St. for cards and
then home —

M. & I spent a little
while this evening over
cards. —

Ther

SAT. NOV. 27, 1915

Wea

Clear, clouding later, mid. 35, 50

I spent most of the morning with Mr. going over Xmas cards. The rest of the morning I spent in ~~changing~~ ^{making} labels ^{in my} ~~and~~ ^{Journal} going over to the Gray Hk where I read page proof of my March article, which covers 17 pages. I walked back with Dr. Robinson -

This afternoon we went over cards and I labelled some more. That is, I am making a list of the sps. & var. collected last summer in Shelburne & thereabouts with the dates. This goes at the Journal end and is useful for reference.

The number will be much less than the no. of sheets.

This evening we had the piano & ⁱⁿ ~~at~~ ^{the} ~~time~~ ^{time} I copied ~~more~~ ^{more} labels. Tilled with Matthew's on the phone -

Clear, calm mild, 42, 57

I have put my spare time into labelling and have reached the Compositae, listing the names & dates.

This noon I took a short walk to the marsh. It looked very natural. I can't realize my article will be out soon.

This afternoon I went to the Public Library and heard an ill'd lecture by F. W. C. Hershey on "Shakespeare on the Stage". Every seat was taken and though I arrived late, I had a seat for both, but I was perfectly good.

Mr. Hershey traced the evolution of the stage from Shakespeare's time in 1600 to the present and he told of the great Shakespearean actors & actresses and all, was illustrated. Very instructive. Returning home I made a call on the Thachers.

Ther

MON. NOV. 29, 1915

Wea

Rain and mist, muggy. 41. 57

This morning I finished entering my plant names & dates in my Journal for Shelburne. There are about 300 sps & var.

Then I went to Boston, called at Hoveys and ordered (Chitt. and Houghton & Mifflin's and then on to C. S. Sprague - that his friend and friend of Matthews

Cloak, artist, on the same floor - a most enthusiastic man, friend of F. W. Bateson, S. R. I. Moore & C. S. Sprague & I lunched together at Matthews on Devonshire St. near Water St. He is going to find out about Boston Base. 164 ft below mean low water level. Then

I went to the Islands and got a number of Xmas cards - then to H. W. G. & Co. where I looked a brief some -

Mr. Matthews called this evening. We had a long talk & much pleasant music. He is much & trapper -

Clear, cold - 36, 45.

This morning Geo. took me in his car as far as Lexington and round by H.M. Brooke Reservation. He was studying a route for a Club walk. The air was very crisp and fine. -
 To me to lunch.

This afternoon I worked on Xmas things and then walked down to H.M. S. J. and called at the Essex Club and on Hollis Larabee. He was out but I had a pleasant talk with his clerks Macfarland. They room in one of the Frohman Dormitories, the one on Boylston St.

This evening I went to the Shakespeare Club at Mrs. Sumner's. Very pleasant time -

Ther

WED. DEC. 1, 1915

Wea

Clear, calm, cold. 31, 43

I staid at home this morning & afternoon, chiefly writing letters and trying to catch up. I spent some time over the Shakespeare records -

This evening I took Mrs. McMillan to the Hist. Soc. Nat. Hist. meeting. Charles Townsend spoke with views on The Ipswich Sand Dunes and Mr. Sumner spoke on Balloon Spiders. It was extremely interesting and there was a record audience. Extra chairs had to be brought in. After the meeting the social part followed and I spoke to a large number of people - I asked Mr. Packard to send Bird of New York ill's to Miss Margesson. A slight cold seems to have nearly gone -

A little snow, chilly, damp.
 Cloudy all day, calm. 32, 41

This morning Mr. & I
 with a box of Chrysanthemums
 went down to Dana H. & called
 on Miss Blish (80 yrs. old to-day).
 She appreciated it all very much.

This afternoon I went over to
 the funeral of Effie Loris Foster, held
 at Charlie's. I met there Charlie,
 Effie, Marion, George, his wife,
 Rogers. All were very cordial to
 me. Marion has grown into a
 fine girl. I had a talk with
 him after the ceremony.
 Charlie has enlarged his
 home very much, and he has
 every comfort. I was driven
 up from Newton Corner, and
 back to Watertown.

Rollin Larabee & his chum
 L. Macfarland came to dinner.
 We had a pleasant chat.
 They left soon after dinner
 evening in my room

State, Birmingham at night
23 Ther FRI. DEC. 3, 1915 Wea

Cloudy, clearing, cool. 34, 39

This morning, Mr. H. went
to Boston and did some
errands - I met, on Bromfield
St., John Thayer and had
a good talk with him,
His family spent the winter
in Lancaster -

This afternoon I wrote a
letter for Rhoda on Panicum
commutatum, Erv.

J. R. Churchill came by
5 o'clock and we did a
little work on his new
flora. At 5:45 we
went over to Williams'
and had a delightful time
+ dinner. Present -

E. F. + Mrs. Williams, Rev.
Nathaniel Churchill, Har-
riet + Wheeler + I.

Then to Bot. Club
met the Ceter there, my
guest - Riddle on mosses
adaptation to environment -

Ther

SAT. DEC. 4, 1915

Wea

Clear, cold, calm. 28, 40.

This morning I went over to the W. Heale and gave G.H.R. my Rhodora note. I showed him the h.f. my Shelburne Solidago of Sept 1 It is *S. bicolor* X *caesia* -

The rest of the morning and most of the P.M. I worked at home -

At 6 P.M. J.R.C. came and we dined at 6.15 and then went down to see 1st Camille Dramatic Performance, 6 seas Wilde's "The Importance of Being Earnest" It was a very bright performance especially in the ladies part & that of Mrs. H. Gomme. Miss Hain, Miss Hale & Miss Carr were exceptionally good J.R.C. always enjoys it. I walked home with May Dexter

Ther

SUN. DEC. 5, 1915

Wen

Clear & cloudy. (30-42)

At home this morning
This afternoon I heard
Mrs. Marks at the Boston
Public Library on "Poets
of the Elizabethan Age"
3:30 - 4:45. It was a
most fascinating pre-
sentation and I was
reversed with an ease
and grace that
fascinated me. She is
a most scholarly woman,
Prof. Marks sat behind me.
I reached home by 5:20.

This evening I
called on Miss Leonard,
who has the Clement-Smith
house, her cousin, Miss
Lombard, & Mrs. Eendicott.

The house is full of Mrs.
Hall's valuables. (Mrs. Hall
lived there last & left the house
to a Dutchman). It is a mu-
seum!

Cloudy, chilly - 33

I went to Haw. Sy & Boston this Morn. Took field by Dr. Briggs. Then to Brown field St. to Deatur where I got to stones to be made into pins for Charles T. Tower, one Crocidolite (Cat's Eye) from Siquia Land So Africa, Variscite from Nevada.

Then to G. R. C. who lunched with me. Then we met a little later at Cippalachian Rooms to see G. R. C.'s exhibit of Tyrol plants. 142 pieces. They made a good show.

Previously I announced myself for 12 hrs at Washington and Dayton -

This evening went Club at W.B.'s. Election of officers same board. After the meeting Will told the Council he wanted to publish the first half of the

Cloudy clearing col. 30-38.

M. & I went to Milton today to the funeral of Mrs. Ellen Coleman. Time gone 10.15-6.00. Miss Hicks met us in Milton & we went first to the Channings and then to Miss Hicks' home. There are two sisters & they were very cordial. We staid to lunch and then we four went to the funeral at 2 P.M. There were many there. After the service we walked back with the Hickes to their home and were shown over the place and later we walked with them to the Lower Mills & took the electric to Forest Hills & home by Elevated & Subway.

This evening at home my 100 copies of my warth paper have come!!

Sunny, melting, chilly. 23, 27

This morning I walked
to Ham. Sq. and did some
errands. Then home.

I have worked on our
Christmas presents and I
have begun to lay out the
set of my plants for the
last time at Washington.

I have read carefully
The President's Message
Message to Congress
and I cannot but feel
that his recommendations
for our National Defense
& Protection should be
acted upon immediately.
We must be able to
protect ourselves in case
of future need. The
condition of the world
seems to me very depressing
and it is hard to see
light ahead. May
peace come -

Ther

THURS. DEC. 9, 1915

Wea

Clear & cold, a little
snow. Wind. 30, 41

This morning I went
to Ham Sy. and did ex-
cavations. I have sent off
a number of my Salt
Marsh Separators. I hope
my friends will enjoy
the paper, at least
those botanically in-
terested. This afternoon
I addressed & stamped a
number of books that him
I have did up for me.
I also worked on my
set of plants for the
Nat. Museum. I am
making progress.

This evening I wrote
Margaret & Neil in answer
to her letter about I gave
in matter, deatle & to John
Hoyer for a case of sweet
Kauca. the cider (24 bottles)!!
We had another tooth at to-day!!

Clear, calm, cool 22, 27

I have spent today working over my Shelburne plants and getting out those that are to go to the Nat. Mus. There will be a good number of them.

This evening the Council of the Metall Club met at Will Brewster's house. All present but 1 housewife.

The subject was the question of publishing Will's Birds of Umbagog, Part I which is about 500.

After much discussion it was voted to appropriate \$1200.00 from the

treasury, and Will is to give 1000 towards the work.

Things will be ready in a few weeks to begin.

It will give a spur to Will, & Part II will follow.

Ther

SAT. DEC. 11, 1915

Wea

Clear, calm, cold, 20, 28

I have spent this M.
& P.M. in going over my
Shelburne plates and
and I have the du-
plicates nearly done
for Washington. Lucy
called this P.M. and she
was much pleased with the
new sideboard, as were Mary
& Geo. yesterday -

This evening I met
A. C. Sprague by appointment
at Symphony Hall as
his guest at the Symphony
Concert. Beethoven's "Pas-
toral Symphony" was de-
licious. "L'Apprenti Sor-
cier" by Dukas was wonder-
fully done. I have heard it
once before. Smetana's
"Vysehrad" & Enesco's
"Chaprotie Roumaine"
were very sweet -

I so home by 10.30

Clear, calm, high 19. 37
It has been an ideal day.
This morning, I finished
selecting - Washington
Plants #431 sheets. I shall
tid them up in 5 packages &
(at them off as soon as I can.)
Rud Wapner will be much
pleased.

This afternoon I went to
the Public Library and heard
Frank Chouteau Brown on
"Theatre in Shakespeare's
Time" with lantern ill'ns.
It was very enlightening.
He had a miniature
stage for illustration.

This evening I called on
Mr. & Mrs. Winship & had a very
pleasant time. They are very
cordial.

Mrs. had a root of a tooth taken
out yesterday. She is a woman.
Venus, Jupiter, Saturn &
Mars are now visible.

Ther

MON. DEC. 13, 1915

Wea

Heavy fall in the night.

Cloudy, rain in P.M. Temp. 28, 42

This morning, I did up
5 packages of plants for
the bot. Hb. and shall send
them soon - I am glad
to have them done

Then to Harv. Sq., hair
cut. - Then to J. R. C.
We lunched together &
then I went to the moving
pictures "Fighting in France"
at Tremont Temple - I just
dropped in as I passed by,
but it was a wonderful
display and I sat spell-
bound for an hour.

The details are brought vividly
before you, submarines sink-
ing out of sight, war ships in action
fighting, men falling, scenes in
Italy, France, Gallipoli, I saw the
British, French, methods of
firing guns, King George, Nicholas,
the Prince of Wales, Kitchener &c &
called at Dedgins for 2 p.m.
evening at home -

Clear, windy, cold, 29 35

Worked at home this morning
Then to Harvey's in regard
to a bill. Good will be credited
in next month's bill. (\$10.2)
Then to Dr. Briggs and home
to lunch.

This P.M. went to George
who wanted to talk over the
Dean Pills matter,

Then to Lucy & May
and home to dinner.

This evening May & I
went to Shakespeare
Club at the Reeds,

We had a very pleasant
time & a bright reading
At 7 we like it.

May read Rosalind
very well. Program
was excellent &

Touchstone, Mrs. Enchiridion
as Celia & the

Reeds now tell Annual
meeting on Jan. 11 (Mr. Lane)

Ther

WED. DEC. 15, 1915

Wea

Clear cold - 22, 29

This morning & part of
afternoon I worked on
Shakespeare words and
selected places of Shel-
burne for my book -

Then I called on
Mollie Wyman (Will out)
and on Mrs. Thos. Patton.
Had very good talks with
both of them. Saw the
Patton collection.
Then met Will Speaker
a J. Harv. Sq. and we
went in to Beat's.
We dined at the
Harv. Club. All we
saw but Joe Szwale
who has a bad cold.
We had a very good
time around the table
and afterwards in
front of a big open
wood fire - I came
by 11.30. I saw three
Venus, Jupiter
Saturn, Mars

Clear calm breeze 23, 36

This morning Mrs. T. & I went to Boston and did some errands. We got a present for Charlie at Briggs'. I returned to lunch.

This afternoon I did some herbarium work and then I called on Dr. & Mrs. Goodale and had a very pleasant talk with them. Then I called at the Emersons but Dr. & Mrs. E. were out and Clara was not in, so I went out. Then I called on Mrs. Hammond and had a pleasant talk with her.

This evening I have been at home engaged in various things. Our Christmas is pretty near over.

Ther

FRI. DEC. 17, 1915

Wea

Cloudy, R. heavy rain, mild.
very slippery - 24. 36

This morning, I printed
a set of notices for Charles
Zachelder for the Nat. Club
He called here & spent
some time -

I rested this P.M. Helen
went to run & turned
with the Baptists and
Roland & I went on
to the Travellers Club
Helen Wilson of the
Catharine Bath on
Japan with slides.

His object was to collect
trees & shrubs, and find out
the native names of the
Japanese Black Pine (Pinus
Thunbergii) and the Cryptomeria
japonica. He showed us forests
of these. He returned after the lecture.
Roland had a heavy fall at the
corner of Mass. & Commonwealth Ave.,
on our way to the Club. Nothing serious
I hope -

Rain all day, warm. 42, 61

I have been at Limer today and have been laying out & collecting plants for my own herbarium. I have to restrain myself from putting in too much of one species.

This evening, Mr. & Mrs. have been going over the Xmas list.

Kolan & Dexter has escaped with bruises. May Dexter fell yesterday on her door steps and bruised her knee pretty severely.

Cora Rustin fell on her steps and cracked the bone in her wrist!! And so on. Yesterday Blm. evening was unusually slippery.

I have had a long letter from A. B. Carr.

Clear cool calm. 36, 43

A glorious day -
I was at home
this A.M. & P.M. I
did some work on my
plants and I also
got our few Xmas
greetings into shape.

Mr. & Edith Rantoul
called this P.M. He was
out. I saw them. They
left a very beautiful
photo. of Edith and the
children - Mr. was de-
lighted when she returned.

This evening I mailed
a good number of our
Xmas remembrances
and then I called at
the Brownsons and saw
Lizzie and Will.
I had a very nice
talk with them.
We talked over Lake
 Umbagog, its camps, &c

Ther

MON. DEC. 20, 1915

Wea

Clear, calm, crisp, 31, 38

This morning a little
work on my plants and
correction of my sketch
of Charlie Rettell which I
returned to Tom Tilden after
a talk with Mrs. Rettell.

Then to Haw. Sq. & Boston.
Called on Carl S. S. S. S. S. We
went down to Cafe on Pearl St.
& met Mr. Chas. Hovey & we three
lunched together. Had a very
good time indeed. Then I
went with Mr. Hovey to St. Paul
& Nelsons & called on Howard
Phillips. Had a pleasant
talk with him. He gave me a
Tanner map for Will Brewster
I gave him my blank paper, also
one to S. S. Hovey. Then I went
to Mrs. Park Comm. Beacon St.
gave them 2 copies of above & had
a talk about Boston Babel.
Then home -
Went. Club this evening

clear, cool, bracing. 27, 34

This A.M. I walked to Ham. Sq. on errands. At home did a little botanical work. After lunch I went to the Gray Hb. left a box of plants with Miss Anderson to mount, and named some ferns for Mrs. Perry which she sent down to the Gray Hb. McBride helped me and we had a pleasant time over it. Returned home with B. & R.

This evening May Dexter & I walked down to the College Chapel and heard the Christmas Eve service with music by the Chapel choir and the Choral Society of Radcliffe College. It was very beautiful indeed. The singing was exquisite. I met Miss Mary Lowell after the service! She will be home to-morrow -

Clear, calm, cold. 24.37

I spent this morning at home in my barbarium mainly, distributing -

This afternoon I went to Boston and called on Mrs. Peare at 260 Commonwealth Ave but she was out. Then I walked to the Public Library & staid a while and then went to 216 Commonwealth Ave to the reception by Mr & Mrs Andrew Fiske for their daughter Habuak. I had a pleasant time, met Dr. Blake and came home with Kate Horsford in her coupe -

This evening we three with May & Mrs. Ellen Luchell Han to the service at the Andover Theological Seminary, with Choral and a sermon by Dr. Fitch. It was impressive. The sermon was very strong and powerful & full of feeling. It dealt with the war -

Ther THURS. DEC. 23, 1915 Wea

Cloudy with some sun, rain
from middle of Dec. 23, 15

I have worked to-day as
usual & on my plants.
We opened a number of
Xmas cards and a couple of
books - all will be listed later
as usual -

I went in to town this noon
and called on Harry Rand &
took him out to lunch. He
preferred the ones - We
had a long talk - This
season is a very hard one
for him -

This blessed season of
Christmas tells us all the
more with the horror of
the devastating war abroad.
Towns and villages and cast
and buildings are all as
tinsel before the cannons
and the submarines.
A Japanese liner with contents
valued at \$5,000,000 has been sunk!
- The lives well saved -

Ther

FRI. DEC. 21, 1915

Wea

Clear, mild, dandy at times,
Calm - 37 / 46

This morning after a
little work at home I
went to the Cathedral with
Lucy. Met May there. We
had wonderful choral
singing - Fine solos.

This P.M. busy at home
House lighted by candles
at 6.40 - Very pretty -
About 60 candles. May came

down and enjoyed the sight
Then she & I walked about
& saw the illuminations
and then went to Boston.

There in Common, fine effect
the went all over Beacon
Hill, admiring the lights
sky clear, moon up - Heard
many chorals, The autos
were a disgrace over the
hill. Went to City Club, rested
lunched, heard chorals, inspected
The bldg. most attractive. Home

Ther

Christmas-

SAT. DEC. 25, 1915

Wea

A pleasant hot & cloudy
P.M. ~~seeing~~ raining 37. 50
clapping in the evening
I had morning, M. & I
went to the service at
St. Paul's. Bishop Law-
rence officiated.

This P.M. we went over
to the McKillans & saw the
tree & the presents.

We have received many
cards and several
other gifts - Geo. called
this P.M. I have been
listing gifts.

This evening we M. & I
Mary, Geo. Mary, M. & I dined at
Mary's and opened the Chicago
presents and then to each
other afterwards. I feel
that too many presents came
from Chicago. They were too
generous in these days when
our thoughts are so saddened
by the war and the political
situation is so serious.

May, with 48 -
Ther SUN. DEC. 26, 1915 Wea

Clear & cold. Windy. very sharp
wind & some squalls in P.M.
clear. - Latin & Greek & common
brilliant & cold. 32 to 60

This afternoon we finished & open-
ing our gifts. Then I wrote
letters & phoned to friends
till 6 P.M. A brief supper
and May Dexter & I went
in to Symphony Hall &
heard the Messiah by
the Handel & Haydn Society.
It was grand. We had
excellent seats in the
center of the hall and I
think every seat was
occupied. The chorus of
about 250 voices and the
stringed instruments did
wonderful work, and the
solos were good. It is an
inspiring occasion and it
takes me back to my Handel &
Haydn days in the late '60s &
'70. The storm wrought much damage.

Ther

MON. DEC. 27, 1915

Wea

Clear - cool - 29, 44

I have 2 places most
of to-day writing
letters to friends
and opening
more belated gifts.

Luey & May came
down to see me gifts
and Mrs. & Ellen the
William dropped in.

I lunched with
Luey & May and went
up for a while to
Mamie's.

The phone has
been busy too.

Bringing friends
home - It will take
some while to get
all the letters written.

Our gifts are laid
out down stairs and
shall stay there a
while - We heard today
from all the Kiser-

I made a long call this morning
on Mrs. F. W. Pittman —
Ther TUES. DEC. 28, 1915 Wea

Rain clearing in evening 36, 42

To-day has been spent
at home. I am pretty
tired. I have been writing
notes all day and have
made good progress.

George came down this
evening and we went over
some papers in regard to
the pills he is interested in.

I must begin soon to
think of what I shall
say at our Bot Club
Dinner on February 4.
It will be our 20th An-
niversary and quite an
occasion.

The terrible war still
goes on and the end is
far off. I only pray that
we do not get too far
involved in it. But it
is hard not to have a
clash with these devilish
submarines ~

Sum. from today, 29, 33.

Much of to-day has been spent in writing notes to Christmas friends.

I went to Boston at 1 o'clock and met Ned Rand at Marston's where we lunched together and had a good talk in re E.C.C. He is making all the trouble he can, but the end must come soon.

I had a foot talk this A.M. over the phone with Mr. Speague. He wants me to drop in again to lunch —

We are approaching the end of one Xmas letter writing —

We had X-rays again on the 27th. The result will be known in a day or two. (We don't expect much.)

Ther THURS. DEC. 30, 1915 Wea

Cue. $24\frac{1}{2}$

Clear cold - max.

This morning I boxed up
the *Shelburne* plants (5 packages)
and sent them off by express
to W.R. Mayon Nat. Hist. Wash. D.C.
There are 443 sheets -

Then I made out the notices
for Annual Meeting of the Shaker
Society and got them off.
There took most of the A.M.
Then I got ready for work
on the local flora -

Revoltin came to lunch
at 1 o'clock and after that
we pitched in and did
quite a bit finishing
the *Caryophyllaceae* -

This evening I was
at home writing and doing
a little reading -

The heavens were brilliant
and Saturn and Mars
were resplendent -
Venus is visible in early evening
and Jupiter rules the sky -

Ther

FRI. DEC. 31, 1915

Wea

Clear cool - 16, 31

I have been busy this morning at home, writing etc. etc.

This P.M. Mr. & I went with George to the wedding reception of Richard Eustis and Miss Richardson at the Richardson house corner of Brattle St and Elm St. Ave. Time 4.30. It was a bright affair and I met many friends. We returned rather soon. George came back to dinner and stayed till about 8.45.

Then I went to my study to do the last things before the old year is over and 1916 comes in.

May the new year see peace once more spread over this world -

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5. CASH ACCOUNT, JANUARY.

Date.

Received.

Paid.

Saw the
Jewell Players

Romeo & Juliet	Jan. 13
Julius Caesar	" 30
Merchant of Venice	Feb. 13
Merry Wives	" 17
Taming of the Shrew	" 27
Mid-summer Night's Dream	Mar. 2
Twelfth Night	" 13

Date.

Received.

Paid.

April 1

Miss Stowell's insect
from Mt. Adams, N.H.
the very same
is a Saw-fly
larva & is the
larva of
Hymenoptera -
J. H. Henshaw

See Comstock.

Mr. Henshaw thinks
the genus is
Lichnanthe -

Miss Stowell was
on Mt. Adams
1914.

71 CASH ACCOUNT FEBRUARY.

Date.

Received.

Paid.

Easter
 - April 4 -
 Reid cards from
 Maryie
 Miss Brown
 Minnie Hopper
 The McWilliams
 C. A. Weatherby
 Ned Rand

Cards to Mr. & Mrs. from
 Alice Channing
 Ellen McWilliams
 Lucy & May Dexter
 Mrs. E. H. Terry
 Lizzie
 Ned & Sarah Coolidge
 Mrs. Fred Carr

CASH ACCOUNT. FEBRUARY.

8.

Date.

Received.

Paid.

Cards sent by me
or by Mr. & wife.

Elizabeth Allen

L. H. Baile

Blaise R. S.

Mrs. W. W. Bailey

Misses Kirk

Miss Fay

" S. J. S. J.

" S. J. S. J.

Miss Howard

Miss Crisfield

" Hammond (Chicago)

Alice F. Headway

Miss Brown

Mr -

Mr. Rand

F. F. Collins

Dr. & Mrs. Ross

Rebecca

Martha Rose

S. J. S. J.

Rebecca Steere

W. J. Putnam

Mr. E. H. Terry

Alice Wetherbee

Marjaret Wheeler

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CASH ACCOUNT.

MARCH.

Date.

April

Received.

Paid.

Sent 3 rolls of
 $2\frac{1}{2} \times 4\frac{1}{4}$ films, 12 ex-
 posures each to
 Shurey & Laid
 with a letter

Rec'd -

De

Received

Paid.

May 9
Starling 8

This noon I saw two Starlings in a large tree on highland field near the fence on west side of marsh. There was a hole some 30 or 40 ft up. One bird sat on the top of the tree some 10 or 15 ft. above the hole. The other in the tree on a level with the hole, some 10 ft from it. As I looked at the hole an English Sparrow (♂) appeared at the hole from within, and looked out for some minutes. Tableau! Some the Starling on the tree top scaled off & alighted on the branch a short distance off. A minutes after the Sparrow left the hole & alighted on a branch a few feet from it. Then the Starling too flew away and soon the Sparrow flew away - I had hoped for a fight.

CASH ACCOUNT. APRIL.

Date.

Received.

Paid.

- May 19 -

I called on U. Holzer
I found that of the
4 nos. of Bird = Fore
for 1914 sent by
the publishers no. 6
was for 1912.

I phoned Anna
Churchill this
evening and she
has the no. wanted.
So now I have
the 6 nos.

Date. — May 25 Received. Paid.

Mr. Dr. Harold St. John
 & I with peat sampler
 & bags & botany box went
 to Char. River Marsh
 at took sampler at
 various depths.

No. 1 = center of marsh N. & S
 & $\frac{1}{3}$ from W. side

No. 2 = Center of marsh
 In both cases amidst
Juncus Gerardii now
 some 6 in. high.

Samples at No. 1

6-8 in. down

12-18 "

18 "

69 "

Samples at No 2

5-7 in. down

12-18 "

180 "

Soil to the depth of 6-8
 in. includes the area
 in which the roots
 are growing —

These samples have analyzed —
 at end of June is there

CASH ACCOUNT.

Saturday

Date.

Jan 1

Received of \$1.00

Snow and rain. 25.35
I have been busy at home this morning on accounts mainly -

S.F. Blake returned from England last Wed. and he came over for the Gr. Bk. by lunch. He has been abroad for 2 years & more, leaving here in the fall of 1913. He was in Berlin for 2 wks after war broke out and in London from Dec 1913 till now. He told us a good deal of real interest of his experiences in London. He staid some time after lunch, & leaving my uncle. He || ||

This evening I went with Mr. Sprague to the Boston Symphony Orchestra. It was delightful -
1. Brahms's Symphony, No. 3, 7 major, Op. 90. Exquisite in every detail
2. Schelling. Solist in piano, and composer of Variations on original theme for orchestra
3. Capriccio on Spanish Themes by Rimsky Korsakoff.
- All was charming -

CASH ACCOUNT - Sunday
Jan 2 - 1916 -

Date.

Received.

Paid.

Cloudy, snowing part of the day
& raining - 2-2, 36

This morning & part of the
afternoon I have been
preparing my 10 min. talk
to the Bot. Club on Feb. 4
at our celebration -

This afternoon I called
on Mary & George & sat with
them some time. They
I called on Tom & Frederika
Watson and had a very nice
time. The 3 children are
very interesting and we all
had much to say. The
house is very roomy and
comfortable. I was never
in it before. It is on the
corner of Appleton & Highland
Sts.

This evening I had a
talk over the phone with Mr.
Matthews who is quite well
and with him Vida Scudder
is Nellesley quite interesting.

Then I worked on my
paper again - I am prac-
tically through but it is
hard to cut it down
to 10 minutes -

CASH ACCOUNT. JUNE.

Date.

Received

Paid.

1916

Sum & sum - 26 140

I have spent to-day mainly over my talk for July, a short one, but it must be just right or not at all. - I shall read it. In E. F. Waller's reads his sketch of the beginnings of the Club and Rand reads his poem, and so I shall. It would be impossible to commit what I say.

Milt Cole this evening will read Concord notes and notes from Bethel. He had a remarkable experience in Bethel with immense flocks of migrating Warblers when he recognized 20 species so young flitting about with the rapidity of their kind among the foliage. He takes a skilled eye & brain to name them all - Dr. Tyler (by phone) reports seeing Grosbeaks in a

CASH ACCOUNT. 4 JULY.

Date.

1916 Wed;

Clear bracing, clearing in
The late P.M. 15, 31-

This morning, early P.M.
I finished my short address
and now it is all ready.
It will take 11 minutes.
I was given about 10-
It will be on Feb. 4.

This P.M. I made a very
pleasant call on Mrs.
C. J. Rolfe & Josephine
at 4 Prescott St. I
haven't seen them for a
long time. They were
very cordial indeed.
Mrs. Rolfe had an auto
accident a year ago &
her back was injured.
She is much better &
feels about all right, but
it will take time to
get over it entirely.
Josephine is a fine girl
of 17 years. I have in-
vited them to our annual
Shakespeare meeting on
Jan. 11 in the Widener Libra-
ry. Prof. Neilson lectures
evening quiet at home

CASH ACCOUNT Jan 5 JULY.

Date

1916 Wed

Raining off & on, clearing in the evening 29.45

This morning George & I went to looking in - up to Dr. Tyler at Percy Road, and walked with him a short distance to the house of his ^{car} ^{in the yard} ^{at} on the slope S. of the road. There in a Vagango by the road, loaded with fruit we saw nine (9) female Evening Grosbeaks!! Dr. Tyler found them on the 3^d (5), on the 4th (3). To-day 9. We had a wonderful time see Journal.

Then an hour call on Mrs. Kettell & Margaret close by. Mrs. K. wants to give me a set of books! Then by electric to Boston - Lunched with T. R. C. Then to Clark to see the Jefferson Souvenir belonging to Mrs. Rolfe - To Gutterfield for advice - Home. At home this evening Will Brewster will go to see the Grosbeaks with me to-morrow. Ah!

CASH ACCOUNT. AUGUST.

Date.

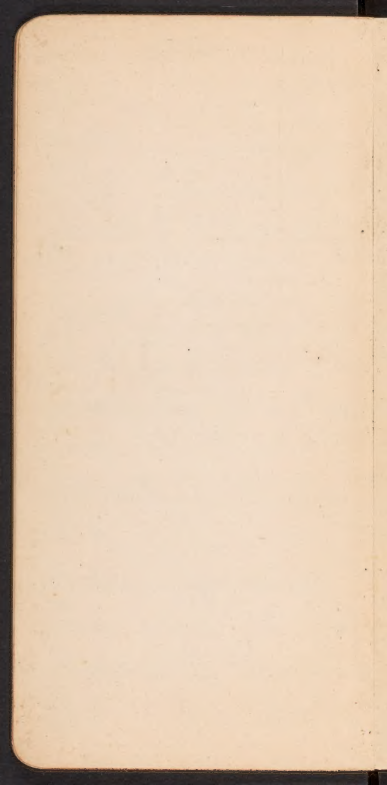
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SNOW

- 10 SNOWFLAKES FALLING
- 11 THE MORNING AFTER THE STORM
- 12 THE FARMER'S BACK YARD
- 13 THE BIRCH ROAD
- 14 IN THE VILLAGE
- 15 ALONG THE ROAD
- 16 CROSSING THE MEADOW

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AND HIS
CANADIAN
SLEIGH

DODGE MACKNIGHT

EXHIBITION AND PRIVATE
SALE OF RECENT WATER
COLORS AT THE GALLERY
OF DOLL & RICHARDS
SEVENTY-ONE NEWBURY
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